

Wainwright Is Given Pen Used By MacArthur At Surrender

By HAL BOYLE
USS Missouri, Tokyo Bay, Sept. 4 (AP)—There were tingling moments of high drama in the 18-minute ceremony Sunday during which Japan bowed herself to lay down her arms unconditionally and bow to the dictates of the Allies.

The setting was perfect—on the captain's promenade of this battleship, nicknamed "Mighty Mo." Allied ships ringed the Missouri in concentric circles of power. Outlined against the murky sky were dark green hills of the nation being occupied for the first time in its turbulent history.

The first moment of drama came when General MacArthur walked on the gangplank and moved across the deck with a stride lithe for a man of his years. You could feel the intensity of this man stimulate the crowd like a current of electricity. It was MacArthur's hour of a lifetime and he had prepared for it by almost a half century of military service.

Like Stone Gargoyles
The next moment of emotional impact was the arrival of the Japanese delegation—four in civilian dress, seven wearing navy or army uniforms. They stood waiting MacArthur's pleasure like stone gargoyles. To the Western eye they looked like cartoon characters from Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado."

Their stolid features showed neither guilt nor regret, pain nor resentment—only an abiding, watchful animal-like patience. You felt that only time would reveal what that patience stood for.

"How did those little men ever think they could get away with it?" one white-uniformed sailor whispered.

Next highlight was when MacArthur began signing the surrender document. He turned to General Wainwright with a warm smile and handed him the first of the six pens he used. Then he looked deliberately, steadily and coldly at the Japanese before going on with the signing. That gesture was for Bataan, for Corregidor—and the Japanese caught its significance fully.

Oriental Slowness
Silence fell over the spectators as the two Japanese signatories put their names to the document. They signed with Oriental slowness. Doffing his black silk topknot, Foreign Minister Mamoru Shigemitsu sat with his wooden leg stiffly extended before him. The diplomat missed the inkwell with the first thrust of his pen. Then, he laboriously scrawled his name on both documents—a copy for the Allies, one for Japan.

The right hand of Gen. Hoshijiro Umezo, Japanese army chief of staff, shook slightly as he added his signature. Noting the rainbow row of ribbons on his dress uniform, one American spectator wisecracked: "Whipped everybody but the United States."

Allies Sign Quickly
As Umezo, his face grey-yellow but still unexpressed, left the ceremonial table, another bystander predicted: "He will probably kill himself within 24 hours."

The Allied signatories signed quickly, one after the other.

"Let us pray," said MacArthur, "that the peace be now restored to the world and that God will preserve it always. These proceedings are closed."

The worldwide blood bath at last was at an end.

Next came the spine-tingling climax. Forty-six great-winged Superfortresses swept over the fleet like high, graceful birds. Up and behind them roared the Third Fleet's fighters, dive bombers and torpedo planes.

Stirring Flight
They flew over the massed decks of the Missouri in wave after wave after wave, until the whole bay thrrobed. The battleship almost seemed to rock with the sound of their passing. There never was a more stirring flight and it shook the hearts of the sailors and soldiers. It choked them with the pride of kinship in victory and made them feel as if they were swallowing their stomachs.

There is no way to describe that mystic exaltation. It gripped everybody. You felt suddenly that the ink on the documents, lying momentarily forgotten on the table, meant nothing. And that the men who had signed were no more than symbols.

You felt, in your whole being suddenly, how peace had been grandly won—by the toll and blood of those airmen in the sky and their anonymous battle brothers of the earth and of the waters, lying in land graves and sea graves around the world.

The planes came on and on resistlessly. You felt that the nation that produced them could send them on and on forever, until it achieved any noble purpose, any peace, however difficult.

They droned across the mainland of Japan. The navy band struck up "California Here I Come" and the ceremony was over.

Weather Forecast
Fair with moderate temperatures tonight. Wednesday cloudy and warmer.

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PRICE THREE CENTS

Good Evening

Don't forget to do your Christmas shopping EARLY.

SHEELY LAUDS FIREMEN FOR WAR SERVICE

The fire companies of the county were lauded by Judge W. C. Sheely, chairman of the Adams County Board of Civilian Defense, for the "splendid service" they rendered the war effort in this county.

The judge, who was the final speaker on a list of six guests who addressed the convention, pointed to the long service record of the fire companies that started with the initial collections of aluminum through the war years, their salvage drives, Red Cross and USO appeals, Civilian defense organization and all of the other war-connected enterprises undertaken on a county-wide basis.

Other speakers Monday afternoon at the Labor Day convention of the county firemen's association at Bonneauville included Congressman Chester Gross; Captain Frank Dean of Lancaster; Chief L. Ellis Wagner of York; J. William Morgan, Dillsburg, and Col. John P. Young of York.

All of the companies of the county were represented at the morning and afternoon sessions which attracted approximately 150 delegates.

New President
George A. Martin of Irishtown was elected as the new president of the county association and J. Faber Wildasin, Abbottstown, was named vice president. The other newly-elected officers are: Secretary, L. U. Collins, Two Taverns; treasurer, Dr. Eugene Elgin, East Berlin; trustee for three years, George D. March, of Gettysburg; county fire marshal, George Murren, Centennial; chaplain, Msgr. Patrick F. McGee, McSherrystown; representative to the state association, Lester Rider, Irishtown; representative to the Southeastern association, J. Faber Wildasin, Abbottstown.

East Berlin was selected by unanimous vote as the place for the 1946 Labor Day convention.

The annual firemen's memorial service will be conducted the third Sunday in November in Littlestown. It was decided. The memorial committee in charge of arranging the service includes George McClellan, Gettysburg; Harry Badders and Henry E. Waltman, both of Littlestown.

Quarterly Meeting
It was announced also that the next quarterly meeting of the association will be held the second Tuesday of October in New Oxford.

Monday's convention opened at 10 a. m. in the school hall at Bonneauville with the singing of "America." The address of welcome was delivered by C. P. Myers, a past president of the Bonneauville company. The response was given by Mr. Wildasin.

Annual records revealed that 34 county firemen died during the last year.

The balance in the association treasury was reported at \$8,604.91.

An all-day picnic was conducted by the Bonneauville company in connection with the convention and attracted a large crowd during the afternoon and evening.

LIBRARY UNIT SEEKS CHARTER

The Adams County Free Library association has placed on file at the office of Prothonotary Arthur H. Shields at the court house its application for a charter as a non-profit corporation.

The application is signed by three members of the association's board of directors as incorporators: Miss Marion J. Biggs, Orttanna; J. Willis Beidler, Biglerville; Calvin C. Cluck, McKnightstown; Mrs. Della W. Hershey, York Springs; Mrs. Mildred O. Johnson, Gettysburg; Mrs. Elsie Singmaster Lewars, Gettysburg; D. E. Winebrenner, New Oxford; the Rev. Nevin R. Prantz, Arendtsville, and O. H. Benson, Gettysburg R. D.

Cite Purposes
The application sets forth these purposes for the library association: "The establishment of a free, public, non-political, non-sectarian library in and for Adams county in order to disseminate information and ideas necessary to the present welfare and the future advancement of Adams county; to strengthen and extend appreciation of the cultural and spiritual values of life and to provide the perpetual means of self-education and recreational reading to every man, woman and child in the county."

The application sets forth further that the corporation is to be organized on a non-stock basis and that it will have on hand \$3,500 in cash to institute its corporate functions. The association does not own any real estate.

A copy of the library's constitution and by-laws is attached to the application.

Radio Service, Baker's Battery Service.

New Supervisor

Dr. Ralph Scrafford, Erie, Pa., whose appointment as the new supervisor of special education for Adams and Franklin counties was ratified by the Adams county board of school directors Monday. The appointment was effective Saturday but the new supervisor took up his duties today. He studied at State college this summer to qualify him for certification as a supervisor of special education. He succeeds Miss Dorothy M. Warner.



FIELD TRAVEL ON WEEK-END BEST SINCE '40

Tourist travel in Gettysburg and over the battlefield during the Labor Day week-end made that three-day period the biggest holiday week-end here since Labor Day of 1940 and topped by far all of the war-time travel figures compiled by the National Park staff.

Week-end travelers and town visitors taxed to the limit the lodging facilities here and there were reports of strangers going from door to door in town Saturday night hunting rooms for the night.

Figures compiled by the National Park office today estimated that 11,390 persons visited the battlefield over the week-end in 2,576 automobiles.

Forty-eight battlefield guides were working on Sunday while the park office reported that there were 368 guided trips made over the week-end with Sunday listed as the biggest day with 149 trips were made by the guides, an average of almost three trips each.

Other Reports
Park records show that last year Labor Day week-end visitors on the battlefield were estimated to number 3,166. The 1943 total was 2,946; 1942, 2,660; 1941, 8,568, and 1940, 17,365 when there were 609 guided trips over the field.

Over Labor Day in 1943, when tourist travel reached its lowest ebb in the five-year cycle, there were only 72 guide trips made over the battlefield.

Twenty-three states and the District of Columbia were represented among the cars guided over the battlefield on Sunday, the park office said. The list included 54 from Pennsylvania; Ohio, 21; New York, 19; Maryland, 10; District of Columbia, five; New Jersey, seven; Virginia, four; Illinois, three; two each from Louisiana, Iowa, West Virginia, Michigan, North Dakota, Minnesota. Ten other states had one car each.

Arrest Hanoverian On Serious Charge

Erman E. Nary, 36, Hanover, was committed to jail here Monday by Chief of Police Glenn Guise after he had been taken into custody by Hanover police on a warrant sworn out in the office of Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder.

Nary is charged with a serious offense involving a 10-year-old Union township girl. The information was brought by Jesse W. Wiseman, Union township. Nary is to have a hearing Wednesday.

On Cruiser With Occupation Fleet

On the USS Oakland in Tokyo Bay—(By Mail) R. H. King, seaman, second class, USNR, whose wife lives at Littlestown, is serving on this cruiser, which is part of the powerful Pacific fleet completing the first stages of the occupation of Japan.

Under the operational control of Admiral William F. Halsey, USN, the Oakland, with 19 other cruisers, 12 battleships, 17 aircraft carriers, six escort carriers, and more than 290 other U. S. ships, is helping take over control of the Japs' big naval bases.

R. FORTENBAUGH HELPED PERFECT "ATOMIC BOMB"

T/5 Robert B. Fortenbaugh, son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh, West Broadway, was one of at least three Gettysburg men who worked on the "Manhattan Project," more familiarly known as the "Atom Bomb." Fortenbaugh serves with the engineers and has been at Los Alamos, New Mexico, for some time where considerable of the atom bomb work was done. He was also present at the experimental test.

The extent of Fortenbaugh's work on the powerful explosive that helped to bring the war with the Japs to such an early and victorious conclusion is revealed in excerpts from his letters made available to The Gettysburg Times by his parents. They follow:

"I work in a nuclear physics laboratory and it is my job to run the cyclotron (this is the machine that is used to smash the atom) and work on the machine for it is very hard to keep in running order. When I first looked at the control board with about 200 lights, switches, meters and buttons, I sure was knocked over, but gradually I have learned.

Worked On Test
"We have about 18 civilians in the group and almost all have Ph.D's. There is but one GI besides Beth and myself and he was a civilian here for two years. There are usually two experimenters who work with us. For the last month the machine has not been running as we did special work in connection with the experimental test.

"Our whole group was present at the test except two.

"Oppie (Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer, director, credited by the War Department as being chiefly responsible for the atomic bomb) is a mild mannered fellow. I know him by sight as does everybody here. I know Fermi (Dr. Enrico Fermi, Italian scientist whose experiments with uranium in the early '30's created new and unknown elements after neutron bombardment and opened a great field of investigation, and one of the top scientists working on the project) much better and several others. My division leader is R. R. Wilson who is a very famous young man."

Knew Bomb Secret
Speaking of the secrecy of atomic bomb work, Fortenbaugh wrote his parents as follows:

"The impression the public has is that even the people connected with the project knew nothing. This is true so far as Oak Ridge and Washington (Richland) are concerned for there strictly production takes place. But here civilian workers knew some details.

"From the first I knew a little and always have learned more so I was informed—better, perhaps, than any of the fellows I came with. . . . As yet it is a little hard to know what can be said. . . . We of course have been waiting for it to break (announcement of the news of the use of the bomb on the Japs) and are pleased and excited beyond all comprehension tonight. It was easily the closest secret of the war. . . . we were all hoping the second bomb would be dropped soon, so when it was dropped last night none was really surprised but all were excited and happy. . . . Los Alamos is in a remote spot high in the mountains and mesas (35 miles north of Santa Fe). . . . Tuesday evening Oppie talked and assured us that in his opinion this would be a peace-producing weapon."

"The experimental test was held at Alamogordo, 235 miles south of here. I was actually down there so that is why it was hard to write or do anything but work. . . . It was a real thrill to be present at the first explosion. . . . I am going down again tomorrow. . . . I am anxious to get samples of the crater which is a blue green glass fused from the sand."

Troopers Arrest Three Motorists

State police have charged three motorists before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder with violations of the state motor code.

Frances L. Groft, 145 Third street, Hanover, paid a \$10 fine for driving without an operator's license.

Charles Arendt, Gettysburg R. 3, and Lester A. Elliott, Biglerville, are charged with driving cars not bearing the current state inspection sticker.

ARMY PROMOTION

Francis A. Althoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Althoff, 274 Baltimore street, recently was promoted from private to private first class at Las Vegas (Nev.) Army air field, LVAAF, oldest flexible gunnery school in the AAF Training Command, is now training B-29 remote control turret gunners. He entered the army in April, 1944, and attended Gettysburg high school. Mrs. Althoff resides at 402 Hanover street.

No Accidents On Labor Day

Despite the fact that county highways were crowded with traffic over the week-end, not one traffic mishap was reported to the state police here for investigation over the Labor Day week-end while accidents took a heavy toll of life in many other parts of the country.

The state police, however, were not sitting in the substation waiting for accidents to investigate. The officers stationed here spent 198 hours on patrol and made 17 arrests for traffic code violations.

MRS. J. CODORI SECRETARY FOR JR. RED CROSS

With the announcement today of a plan under which Junior Red Cross members in this county will pack Christmas gift boxes for needy children in Europe, the county Red Cross chapter disclosed the appointment of Mrs. Joseph E. Codori as the new Junior Red Cross secretary for the county.

Mrs. Codori succeeds Mrs. Margaret Beidler who served "very capably" for the last two and a half years but who has resigned to accept a teaching position in the high school at Milroy, Pa. While she served as the junior secretary for the chapter, Mrs. Beidler attained 100 per cent enrollment of the schools of the county in the Red Cross.

Was In Motor Corps

The new secretary, Mrs. Codori, has been serving as a member of the Red Cross Motor Corps and in that capacity frequently assisted Mrs. Beidler in her work in the county.

Today's announcement disclosed that more than a dozen county schools have ordered 130 gift boxes to be packed with school supplies and toys for school children overseas who have had neither during the years of the war.

Suggested lists have been supplied the schools for small articles that can be placed in the boxes which measure 9x4x3 inches. The boxes will be filled under the supervision of the teachers and will be collected October 1 by Mrs. Codori who will ship them to an export depot. The name and address of the school filling each box will be marked on each package.

Schools Order Boxes

The Arendtsville grade and high school have ordered 20 of the boxes to be filled by the pupils there. Fifteen will be filled at the Gettysburg high school, five at Meade school, seven at Lincoln and eight at High street school.

The numbers ordered by other schools in the county follow: Delone Catholic, McSherrystown, five; York Springs grade and high schools, eight; Hamiltonban township consolidated, five; Biglerville high school, 10; Fairfield grade and high schools, eight; New Oxford grade and high, six; East Berlin high school, five, and East Berlin grades, one.

240 PAROCHIAL SCHOOL PUPILS

St. Francis Xavier's parochial school opened this morning with a mass at 8 o'clock in the Catholic church with Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock officiating.

Father Stock addressed the pupils in each of the grades after their assignment. School was dismissed at noon to resume Wednesday morning at 8:45 o'clock.

The enrollment this year, one of the largest in years, totals 240 with a beginners' class of 40, including six repeat students.

The enrollment by grades includes 8th, 22 pupils; 7th, 24; 6th, 33; 5th, 40; 4th, 26; 3rd, 36 and 29 in the second grade.

The beginners include: George Rummel, Janet Small, John J. Miller, Barbara Anzenberger, Barbara Riley, William Dearing, James McPerrin, William Luckinbaugh, Judith Ann Martin, Terry Gardner, Wilbur Knox Emma Redding, Richard Hemler, Barbara Ann Bushey, John C. Tipton, Jane Callahan, Larry Neary, Constantia Sanders, Bobby Hess, Dorothy Keller, Marguerite Mary Redding, Robert McIntyre, Clarence Baggott, Barbara Ann Redding, Charlotte Knox, Rita Riley, Sara Riley, Gerald Maust, Charles Littleton, Garfield Sterner, Annette Irvin, Charles Althoff, Gwendolyn Jacobs, and George Wagaman.

KILLS THREE SNAKES

Claude Fissel, Orttanna R. 1, killed three copperhead snakes recently in the bean patch at the rear of his residence. The longest was about three feet and the other two slightly shorter.

Yanks Take Tokyo Friday; Prisoners Must Be Liberated

107 Persons At Labor Day Dance

One hundred and seven persons attended the Labor Day dance Monday evening at the Teen Canteen on Baltimore street with the eight-piece orchestra, the Junior Jesters, furnishing music under the direction of Miss Mary Clare Myers from 8 o'clock to midnight. The attendance set a record for canteen functions.

The canteen was decorated with wheelbarrows, baskets and vases of fall flowers placed by this committee: Elizabeth Blocher, Emma Rachel Scott, Mary K. Baughman, Dolores Dougherty and Jean Forry. The refreshments committee included Doris Taylor, Geraldine Waybright and Barbara Ann Ziegler.

The hosts and hostesses for the event were Dr. and Mrs. Dwight P. Putman, Mr. and Mrs. Guyon E. Buehler, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oyler.

ENS. HANAWALT HELD FOR ICE CREAM RANSOM

When the Helldiver of Ens. Winthrop R. Hanawalt, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hanawalt, Baltimore street, was hit by machinegun fire over the inland sea on March 18, and he was forced down in the water to be picked up shortly thereafter by a U. S. destroyer, he was held for ransom by the crew.

The ransom, which was paid by the carrier to which he was attached, was 25 gallons of ice cream. "It's the custom," Hanawalt explained to friends after his return to this country. "Destroyers are too small to carry ice cream machines so when they pick up a downed flier, he is held until his ship forks over 25 gallons of ice cream."

Wins Two Crosses

Ensign Hanawalt was a member of Air Group 9, attached to Admiral Mitscher's famed Task Force 58. With his group he took part in the first Navy raid on Tokyo in February for which he was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. He won the cross again for flying 20 missions in that area. He then was awarded the Navy Cross for a direct hit on the Jap light cruiser Agano when she was running escort for the battleship Yamato on April 7. On his theater ribbons Ens. Hanawalt wears stars for the two Jima, Japan and Okinawa campaigns.

Hanawalt won his wings at Corpus Christi, was sent overseas in October, 1944, and first saw action in February of this year.

Since he was returned to the states this summer, he visited briefly here and then reported to Norfolk from where he was sent to New Jersey.

He had been selected to serve as a "key" pilot in the formation of a new air group to return to the Pacific under the leadership of the experienced battle-wise officer. Whether the end of the war will change those orders is not known here.

1,195 STUDENTS BEGIN CLASSES

Enrollment in the Gettysburg public schools today for the opening of the 1945-46 term totaled 1,195 pupils it was revealed in figures announced by Lloyd C. Kee-fauver, superintendent of the schools, and Prof. Guile W. Lefever, principal of Gettysburg high school.

The high school enrollment totaled 456 of which 174 are members of the incoming freshman class.

Grade school enrollment totaled 649 as follows: High Street building, 215; Meade school, 223, and Lincoln school, 211.

First grade pupils enrolled at the High Street and Meade school buildings totaled 72, one of the lowest first year enrollments in years.

TAKE PRISONER TO JAIL

Sheriff John E. Millhimes and his chief deputy, B. E. Bixler left for Philadelphia late this morning to take Walter V. Jacobs, Kingsdale, to the Eastern penitentiary. Jacobs was sentenced to serve from two to four years in sentence court here on Saturday on a larceny charge.

5,100 STUDENTS START SCHOOL YEAR IN COUNTY

Schoolbells rang for an estimated 4,000 grade school boys and girls in fourth class districts throughout Adams county today while an additional 1,100 high school students began their studies in the seven high schools outside Gettysburg in the county.

A few rural districts opened their sessions on Labor Day and two or three scattered districts started classes August 27.

One rural school failed to open this morning for lack of a teacher but the county superintendent's office said the school board has about completed arrangements for a teacher to open school, Greenstone school in Hamiltonban township, next Monday.

Pupil Enrolments

Five rural schools—one each in Mt. Joy, Hamiltonban, Tyrone, Reading and Huntingdon townships—that operated last year have been closed because of low enrolments and the pupils in the areas have been assigned to other schools.

Enrollment figures gathered on the high school districts in the county by the county superintendent's office were announced as follows this afternoon for all districts excepting Arendtsville which was not available:

Biglerville, 158 elementary pupils, 208 in junior high school and 191 in senior high.

East Berlin, 168 elementary pupils and 229 in high school.

Fairfield, 54 elementary and 84 high school pupils.

New Oxford, 98 elementary and 131 high school pupils.

York Springs, 96 elementary and 73 high school pupils.

Littlestown, 268 elementary and 176 high school pupils.

HARRY VIENER DIES SUDDENLY

Harry B. Viener, 63, who came to this county from his native Lithuania nearly a half century ago and entered the wholesale junk business, died suddenly Monday evening at his home in Washington, D. C. A heart condition caused death.

Mr. Viener had been in ill health for the last six years and in 1939 retired from the wholesale junk business in Washington in which he had engaged since leaving Gettysburg 12 years ago. His wife died April 28, 1939.

Mr. Viener came to Adams county as a peddler in 1898 soon going into the junk business in which he engaged until 1919 when he opened a clothing store on York street. Later he opened clothing stores in Hanover and York.

A well-known figure in Gettysburg and Adams county during his residence here, he was active in Chamber of Commerce activities.

Seven children survive. They are Benjamin, Washington, D. C.; Dr. Bernard Viener, Harrisburg; and Mrs. Ida Kanter, Lewis, Mrs. Freda Taft, Mrs. Dorothy Schneider and Mrs. Ruth Friedman, all of Washington, D. C. There are eight grandchildren, and a brother, Hyman, Charlestown, W. Va.

Funeral services Wednesday at 1 p. m. at 5218 Fourth Street, N.W., in Washington. Interment in that city.

Spanglers Mark Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Spangler marked their golden wedding anniversary Monday evening with a luncheon at their home at 116 York street which was attended by 75 members of their families and friends. The couple received many gifts. Guests were present from Washington, Bethesda, Hagerstown and Harrisburg.

The luncheon and anniversary reception extended from 6 to 9 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Spangler were married at 7 p. m. September 3, 1895, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Oyler which stands by what is now the office building of the firm of Oyler and Spangler of which Mr. Spangler is a member. Mrs. Spangler formerly was Miss Mollie E. Oyler.

(By The Associated Press)
Yokohama, Sept. 4 (AP)—New landings today expanded the American occupation forces' powerful grip on the Tokyo area, and General MacArthur, in a general order, gave his armies authority to requisition anything they need in Japan.

First occupation of Tokyo itself, scheduled for Friday, is to be outlined in detail at a meeting of the Japanese first army command with Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, American Eighth Army commander, at Yokohama Wednesday.

MacArthur instructed the Japanese to turn all existing prisoner of war camps over to the highest ranking officer interned in each, and gave him authority to demand of the Japanese whatever food and medical care is necessary for his camp.

3,350 in Force
The initial Tokyo occupation force will number only 3,350, said the Japanese government communique announcing that the entry was scheduled Friday. (Thursday night, U.S. time).

The communique said policemen would be detailed to maintain law and order in all areas of occupation; government organs and public organizations would continue to function as usual, and all negotiations between American forces and Japanese authorities would be conducted by liaison officials.

Preceding the occupation of Tokyo, General MacArthur's troops were to half-encircle the capital with new landings today, while 120 miles southwest naval forces landed at Hamamatsu and other landings were being made at Takusu, port city of Kyushu island, 600 miles southwest of Tokyo, and at Kanoya airfield, also on Kyushu.

Hamamatsu was shelled by the American and British fleets on July 30. Kanoya airfield was the base from which the Japanese launched their heavy, costly kamikaze suicide raids against American forces on Okinawa.

Planes at Kanoya

Led by minesweepers, two destroyers and six small troopships steamed without incident into Kagoshima bay to land their forces at Takusu's beaches.

Associated Press Correspondent Robin Coons, aboard Jensen's flagship, radioed that American planes already were landing at Kanoya.

By nightfall, nearly 100,000 Americans were scheduled to be on Japanese soil—with four times that many due to be landed during the month for a total of a half-million.

Meanwhile, the Imperial Diet held its first session under foreign surveillance. Emperor Hirohito attended the brief meeting in the House of Peers. He was away from the Imperial palace only from 10:40 a. m. (9:40 p. m. Monday, Eastern War Time) until 11:15 a. m. There was no immediate mention of what occurred.

American correspondents were to be permitted to attend tomorrow's diet meeting after General MacArthur's headquarters upheld their protest against being searched at the door. Unsigned, unaddressed invitations delivered at the Public Relations office by Japanese said the correspondents would be searched and could neither drink nor smoke during the meeting.

MacArthur abolished all these restrictions.

Horner Brothers Home On Furlough

Two sons of Register and Horner and Mrs. Winfield G. Horner are spending furloughs at their home along the Taneytown road.

Sgt. John Horner returned home Saturday on an 18-day furlough from his post in Newfoundland where he has served for the last 14 months. At the end of his leave, he will return to Newfoundland.

This morning S. I. C. William Horner arrived home from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station where he has just finished his boot training. He returns to Great Lakes in a week.

Donald H. Hershey Does Navy Tailoring

Donald H. Hershey, ship's serviceman (tailor, second class), is in charge of a tailor shop at a naval air base on Tinian island in the Marianas.

Hershey's work consists of repairing and altering uniforms of base personnel and fleet air units on Tinian. He also manufactures flags, pennants and other cloth items unavailable at an advanced base.

FORESEES HOPE FOR NEW CHINA OUT OF PARLEY

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There are some signs—which one notes with extreme caution — of progress in the Chungking peace-parley between the Chinese Communists and the Nationalist government of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek.

A Communist spokesman in Chungking said yesterday that the talks were still in a "preliminary stage" and that no agreement had yet been reached. However, any progress—no matter how small—is encouraging when we are dealing with the bloody quarrel which long has threatened to plunge China's millions into civil war.

The Generalissimo, yielding somewhat to his opponents, has issued a striking V-J day message to the nation, declaring that now the Japanese war is over "we shall permit no further delay in the inauguration of constitutional democracy." He therefore proposes to summon the National assembly to get the reforms under way.

Chiang promises equal legal status to all political parties and says the government is prepared to consider an increase in the number of delegates to the assembly, this apparently permitting inclusion of Communist delegates for the first time. This would indeed be striding in seven-league boots, for thus far only one party—the Nationalist Kuomintang—has been permitted. The Communists and all others have been barred.

To get the full significance of what is going on in this fateful Chungking conference, we should note that Chiang's one party government is a totalitarian dictatorship.

China is one of the foremost dictatorships and within its borders are at least 400,000,000 people, or one fifth the population of the world. Actually there may be 500,000,000 Chinese. We lack exact figures.

Seeks New China

So it's of vast importance not only to Asia but to the world at large when Chiang says that the fundamental policy of the Chinese revolution (the 1911 revolt under Dr. Sun Yat Sen) and the war against Japan was not only to defeat the enemy but to establish a new China based on three principles—Democracy, Nationalism and Livelihood. He adds:

"To make past sacrifices truly meaningful we should at this time introduce Democracy and Constitutionalism and consolidate National unity."

Now lest we get a distorted, and perhaps uncharitable, view of the situation, we should recognize that this huge country is in the transitional period between the three centuries of corrupt Manchu rule and the Democracy which was the goal of Sun Yat Sen's revolution. In the melting-pot still are war-lords who are relics of the Manchu regime. Besides the Kuomintang and Communist political factions. It's one of history's great political problems, and therefore shouldn't be judged hastily.

Weak Peace Link

However, it will be a disappointment if now, with the Jap war out of the way, the Chungking government and the Communists can't resolve their differences and get a stable government which will permit a terribly disorganized China to get on its feet. The plea that a dictatorship has been justified because of the melting-pot period will no longer be valid. Until internal tranquility is restored to China, she will be a dangerously weak link in the peace chain which the United Nations are trying to forge.

Two Wills Filed At Court House

Wills in two estates were placed on record at the court house this morning. The will of the late S. Frank Wetzel, Gettysburg, disposing of an estate estimated to be worth \$2,300 in real estate and personal property was filed. A grandson, Paul F. Ecker, 48 Stevens street, is the executor.

The other will is that of Mrs. Emma J. Jacobs, late of Littlestown. Two sons, Charles W. Randall, Littlestown R. D. and Maurice O. Randall, Hanover, are executors of the will which disposes of an estate worth about \$1,600 in real estate and personal property.

RETURN FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Imogene Phillips and her sister, Mrs. LaRue Taylor, have returned to their home at 128 West Middle street, after being patients in the Union Memorial hospital, Baltimore, following an accident in Baltimore on July 28. Both are reported to be getting along nicely. A brother, Joseph, who is stationed with the Seabees on Okinawa, was recently promoted to seaman first class.

FILES DISCHARGE

Pfc. Joseph E. Smith, Hanover R. 4, who served for three years in the Pacific in a chemical warfare unit, placed his honorable discharge on record at the court house today. He received the paper on Sunday at Indiantown Gap.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Dr. W. A. Laning, Glen Ridge, N. J., a former member of the Gettysburg college faculty, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Raymond, East Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Plank, Hollidaysburg, and Mr. and Mrs. William I. Shields, North Washington street, visited in Washington on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Long and daughter, Donna, Altoona, and Mrs. Fannie Gwin, also of Altoona, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William I. Shields, North Washington street.

John H. Hertz, Baltimore street, has been issued a permit for the construction of a one and a half story home on East Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Africa and their son, John, have returned to Ardmore after a visit with Mr. Africa's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Africa, Baltimore street.

The St. James Mite society of St. James Lutheran church will hold its annual picnic at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dougherty, Marsh Creek Heights, Thursday afternoon. Cars will leave the church at 2 and 4 o'clock.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with Mrs. C. H. Hett at Hotel Gettysburg.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Munley and daughters, Sally and Ann, West Lincoln avenue, have returned after a week-end visit in Hazleton.

Chaplain Maj. and Mrs. Justus Liesmann and daughters, Ethel and Mardelle, West Lincoln avenue, spent the week-end in Baltimore where Chaplain Liesmann filled the pulpit of St. Stephen's Lutheran church Sunday. Mrs. Liesmann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Tip-ton, were guests of friends in Baltimore Sunday.

Miss Helen Keefeauver, Springs avenue, left today to assume her duties as teacher of home economics in Doylestown high school. For the last two years Miss Keefeauver has been a substitute in the schools of Hanover.

The Tabawn club will meet Wednesday evening with Mrs. Paul A. Kinsey, Seminary avenue.

Class 43 of St. James Lutheran Sunday school will meet at the home of Mrs. Elsie Kessel, Baltimore street, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Gulden and daughter, Donna Romaine, have returned to their home in Harrisburg after spending several weeks with Mrs. Gulden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hartman, near town.

Mrs. Jesse Shryock, York, spent the last week with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Bowers, Emmitsburg road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Barley and daughter, Helen, have returned to their home in Alexandria, Va., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Remmel, East Middle street.

Trinity Circle of Trinity Evangelical Reformed church will meet this evening at the cottage of Mrs. George W. Johanninger. Members are asked to meet at the church at 7:30 o'clock. Associate hostesses will be Mrs. Johanninger, Mrs. Curtis Flohr, Mrs. Nevada Harbach and Mrs. Paul Myers.

Miss Evelyn Shoop, Riverdale, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus A. Iager and children, Audrey and Jon, Richmond, Va., and Y 2 c and Mrs. Thomas C. Harris, Jr., both of whom recently returned from duty in North Africa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Shoop, center square.

Corp. Richard H. Finkboner, Jackson, Miss., and Mrs. Finkboner, who resides in Hanover, visited over the week-end with the soldier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Finkboner, York street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. Hartman, New Holland, Lancaster county.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Pryor and son, Billie, and daughter, Judy, of Sharon, and Mrs. Albert R. Shill, Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James Weikert, Chambersburg street.

Dr. Charles F. Sanders, of Lewis-ton, visited friend in Gettysburg on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lipsey, Sr., Chambersburg street, left this morning on a trip to Nova Scotia. They will motor along the New England coast line to Portland, Maine, and go from there to their destination. They also plan to visit Montreal and other points in Canada before returning home.

Miss E. Lucille Horner, who has been spending the summer vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield G. Horner, Taneytown road, has returned to her

teaching duties at the Warwick high school. Her younger sister, Miss Mary Louise Horner, has returned to Philadelphia, after spending the last week with her parents. She is employed at Wistar Institute.

Miss Mary Bilheimer left today to resume her teaching in the high school at Pompton Lakes, New Jersey, after spending a short time with her parents, Prof. and Mrs. C. E. Bilheimer, West Broadway. During the summer Miss Bilheimer was in charge of a playground at Pompton Lakes.

Mrs. Robert E. Arnold has returned to her home at Elgin, Ill., after a visit with her son, Ralph E. Arnold, Baltimore street.

The Hospital Bridge club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Africa, Baltimore street.

Mrs. J. Ellis Musselman and Miss Bess Hoke had as guests recently at their home on Springs avenue Mrs. Charles R. Hoke and Miss Maud Derr, of Emmitsburg, Md.; William Frailley, of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Hilda Eichelberger and W. E. Dumbler, of Baltimore.

Miss Virginia Troxell entertained over the week-end at her home on Baltimore street Mr. and Mrs. John Todd, of Hagerstown.

Lloyd Weidner, Washington, D. C., spent the week-end vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Weidner, Seminary avenue. Robert Wherry, Vineland, N. J., was a visitor at the Weidner home on Labor Day.

Weddings

Zinn-Yeagy

Miss Mary E. Yeagy, daughter of Luther Yeagy, Harrisburg, and Edward C. Zinn, Hanover, were married Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the First Lutheran church, New Oxford. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Howard E. Sheely, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, Hanover, assisted by the Rev. George E. Sheffer. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Lt. Willis Yeagy. The church organist, Mrs. Felix Sanders, played three numbers and two selections were sung by Miss Anna Jane Bollinger.

Miss Helen Cashman, was maid of honor and Milton Zinn, brother of the groom, was best man. Frederick Rudisill and Glenn Winand, Hanover, were ushers. The bride was attired in a white tulle gown, fashioned princess style and with a long train. She wore a Juliet cap of seed pearls from which fell a shoulder length veil and she carried a bouquet of red rosebuds.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. The newlyweds then left on a short wedding trip and will reside at their home Carlisle street, New Oxford, after their return.

The bride is a graduate of Gettysburg high school and is employed by M. A. Hartley and Co., Gettysburg. The bridegroom is superintendent of the meter department of the Metropolitan Edison company, Hanover. Out-of-town guests were present from Philadelphia, New York, Harrisburg, York, Hanover and Gettysburg.

Bair-Spangler

Miss Lois R. Spangler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Spangler, East King street, Littlestown, and Arthur Bair, South Queen street, Littlestown, were united in marriage in St. Mary's Reformed church, Silver Run, Md., August 21. The double ring ceremony was performed by the pastor of the church, the Rev. Albert E. Shenberger. The attendants were Mrs. Harold Rife, sister of the bride, and Albert J. Bair, brother of the bridegroom.

DEATH

Anthony A. Wivell

Anthony A. Wivell, 80, died Sunday evening at his home in Emmitsburg from cerebral hemorrhage. He had been in declining health for the last several years. He was a son of the late William J. and Drusilla Baker Wivell.

He spent his entire life in the Emmitsburg community and was a life-long member of St. Joseph's Catholic church.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Morris Orndorff, Joseph Wivell, Mrs. Charles Hobbs, all of Emmitsburg; and Miss Adela Wivell, at home; also 23 grandchildren, one great-grandchild, a sister, Miss Annie E. Wivell, and a brother, J. Francis, both of Emmitsburg. The body rests at the late residence where friends may call until the hour of the requiem mass in St. Joseph's church Wednesday at 9 a. m. Interment in the church cemetery.

49TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lipsey, Sr., Chambersburg street, observed their forty-ninth wedding anniversary Monday.

SAILOR PROMOTED

Harold S. Guise, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Guise, Biglerville, has been promoted to seaman first class. S 1 C Guise is somewhere in the Pacific.

Army Units Reaching U. S.

(By The Associated Press)

More than 25,000 overseas veterans are scheduled to arrive at east coast ports today (Friday) from Europe aboard 10 troop-carrying vessels.

Army units arriving:

At New York—(Aboard Queen Elizabeth) 14,860 troops, including 832nd 833rd, 834th, 835th, 836th, 837th, 838th, 839th, 840th, 841st, 850th and 851st Bomb Squadrons; 486th, 487th and 490th Bomb Groups; 362nd Airdrome Squadron; 827th Convalescent Center; 860th Army Postal Unit; 114th, 129th and 297th General Hospital; 6th Medical Supply Platoon; 892nd Signal Depot Company; 803rd hospital Center; 434th Fighter Squadron; 816th Medical Air Evacuation Squadron; Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 700th Quartermaster Battalion; Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron; 14th Bomb Wing; 1908th Ordnance Ammunition Company; 2nd Historical Unit; 861st and 885th Chemical Companies; 1962nd Ordnance Depot Company; Headquarters and Headquarters Squadrons, 1st and 2nd Bomb Wings; 363rd Airdrome Squadron; 741st Medical Detachment; 258th, 263rd, and 266th Pioneer Disbursing Sections; 1944th, 1968th, 1969th and 8022nd Quartermaster Truck Companies; 825th Convalescent Center; 8th Infantry Division Replacement Detachment; 104th Infantry Division Replacement Detachment; 142nd Quartermaster Truck Company; 215th Engineer Service Detachment; 237th Signal Service Company; 508th Signal AW Battalion; 556th Signal AW Battalion, and 1283rd Military Police Company.

(Aboard Borinquen) 1,437 troops including following Quartermaster Bakery Companies: 4360th, 4362nd, 4363rd and 4370th; Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 30th Medical Group; 117th, 129th and 131st Army Postal Units; 242nd General Hospital; 1678th Engineer Detachment; 2900th, 2901st, 2902nd, 2950th Engineer Technical Teams. (Aboard James Cropper) 432 Miscellaneous Troops. (Aboard Ames Rumsey) 12 Casual Troops. (Aboard Archbishop Laney) 748 troops including 130th General Hospital; 32nd Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company; 32nd Machine Records Unit, Mobile, and 113th Bomb Disposal Squadron.

At Boston—(Aboard General Hodges) 3,267 troops including 9th, 30th, 37th and 57th Machine Records Units; 37th Postal Regulating Section; 58th and 186th Military Police Companies; 60th Station Hospital; 68th and 72nd Veterinary Detachments; 225th Quartermaster Salvage Repair Company; Headquarters Detachment, 255th Ordnance Battalion (Aviation) 486th Aviation Squadron; 496th Engineer Heavy Shop Company; 651st Ambulance Company; 704th Engineer Petroleum Distribution Company; 807th Medical Air Evacuation Squadron; 985th Signal Service Company; 2070th Engineer Utility Detachment; 3592nd Quartermaster Truck Company.

(Aboard Excelsior) 2,339 troops including Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 165th Ordnance Battalion; Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 144th Quartermaster Battalion; 389th Engineer General Service Regiment; 4489th Quartermaster Base Depot Company; 4029th Quartermaster Truck Company; 873rd Quartermaster Fumigation and Bath Company; 29th Military Police Detachment; Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 94th Replacement Battalion; 471st, 473rd, and 474th Replacement Companies. (Aboard Cristobal) 3,368 troops including 137th Infantry Regiment of 35th Division. (Aboard Robert E. Peary) 22 Miscellaneous Air Force Personnel.

At Newport News—(Aboard Stephen Crane) 16 Miscellaneous troops. The Stephen Crane originally was due yesterday.

At Gettysburg, and Mrs. Dale Bricker of Biglerville spent Monday at Williams Grove.

Upper Communities

Mrs. Raymond Johnson Pitts-

burgh, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Naomi Carey, Biglerville.

Miss Elizabeth VanKirk, Harrisburg, was a week-end guest of Mrs. Henry Brown at her home in Biglerville.

Cpl. and Mrs. Roy Bower and daughter, Beverly, have returned to their home at Alexandria, Va., after a week-end visit with Mrs. Bower's mother, Mrs. M. A. Shue, Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Deardorff and son, Joseph Michael, Harrisburg, spent Sunday with Mr. Deardorff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Deardorff, Biglerville R. D.

Harold Bucher, Merchant Marine, is spending a leave with his family in Biglerville.

Miss Elizabeth Trostle, Lansdowne, and Dr. Thomas Burnett, New York city, were week-end guests of Miss Trostle's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Rice, Biglerville. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Rice entertained Mrs. Rice's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Trostle, and Miss Edith Wolfe, Chambersburg.

S. C. Robert G. Bishop, Norfolk, Va., and Miss Ruth Bishop, Norfolk, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Felix Kiessling, Biglerville.

Mrs. Donald R. Heiges and daughters, Carol Sue and Joan, have returned to New York city after a visit with Mrs. E. Dale Heiges, of Biglerville. The Rev. Mr. Heiges was with his family during a part of their visit with his mother.

Miss Lois Jane Warren, of Biglerville, has returned from a visit with her mother in Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tyson and their daughter, Geraldine, of Arlington, Va., spent the week-end with Mr. Tyson's mother, Mrs. Chester J. Tyson, Gardners R. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther M. Lady, Biglerville R. D., had as guests Monday at their home, Mrs. Lady's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Pennypacker, and daughter, Virginia, of Parkerford, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pennypacker of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Bream, Carlisle road, had as guests over the week-end Mrs. Bream's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thums, of Newark, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Slaybaugh, Biglerville, R. D., and Mrs. Joseph Stubbs, of Quaker Valley, attended the wedding of Miss Doris C. Wishinger and Robert Taylor in Chambersburg on August 30. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Taylor. Mrs. Taylor was formerly Miss Mary Roberts, daughter of Mrs. Arthur Roberts, formerly of Adams county.

Mrs. John Beltz and sons, John and Raymond, have returned to their home in Philadelphia after a visit with Mrs. Beltz's sister, Mrs. Joseph Stubbs, of Quaker Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ditzler of Gettysburg, and Mrs. Dale Bricker of Biglerville spent Monday at Williams Grove.

MASTER IN DIVORCE

Richard A. Brown, Esq., was appointed master in the divorce action by Joseph E. Seymore against Helen E. (Raffensperger) Seymore, Doneauville, by the court on Saturday.

BEEF CLUB MEETING

A meeting of the county 4-H Baby Beef club has been called for Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Grace and Harry Musselman, Fairfield R. 1. Assistant County Agent A. C. Hug will attend.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued today at the court house to John Eugene Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wolf, Greencastle, and Hilda Mae Hardman, Fairfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hardman, Fairfield.

REACH INDIANTOWN

S. Sgt. Nile R. Little, Gettysburg R. 4, and Pfc. Carey F. Showers, Gardners R. 2, have arrived at Indiantown Gap for redeployment.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Charles W. Ogden, Baltimore street, assistant cashier at the Gettysburg National bank, is reported seriously ill at the Warner hospital where he submitted to a major operation about a week ago.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Peter McCall, Lancaster, was arrested here by borough police on Monday on a disorderly conduct charge filed before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder. He will be given a hearing later.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Eliza Benner, 531 Baltimore street, has been admitted as a patient to the Warner hospital. Discharges included Robert Jones, Brantwood, Md.; Mrs. Clarence Ohler and infant son, Eugene Delano, Taneytown, Md., and Mrs. Albert Cardenti, Hanover street.

Arendtsville

Miss Anna Michener, Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with Mrs. Belle Weidner.

Mrs. John Bushey, Harrisburg, has been spending some time with Mrs. George Fohl.

Paul Weaver is reported ill at his home here.

Miss Alice Dome, Washington, D. C., is at her home here for a few days.

Prof. Vernon Blough, who spent the summer at his home in Johnstown, has returned to Arendtsville for the school term 1945-46.

Miss Gable and Miss Lowe, of Stewartstown, who are new members of the school faculty, arrived Monday for the opening of school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price and three children, who spent the last two weeks in Johnson City, Tennessee, with Mrs. Price's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Vines, returned to their home on the Biglerville road Friday.

O. G. Heckenluber is suffering from a broken arm, received in a fall from the roof of a chicken house.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kane, Jr., who were recently married, were recently tendered a serenade by a calthumper band. The group was highly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William Kane, Sr.

William S. Whitely spent the week-end at his home in Selinsgrove.

Mrs. Sarah Jenkins, of Caledonia and Litzitz, has been visiting her sister, Miss Ella Klepper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiser, who have been living on the Romig farm, are building a house in Beecherstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Rice are spending some time on a tour through the southern states.

Miss Carrie Lady, who spent the summer here, has resumed her teaching in Hershey.

Mrs. Clara Herting, a former resident here who had been a patient in the Warner hospital for a number of weeks, suffering from a broken leg, has gone to her home in Sunbury.

Cpl. Wayne Criswell is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Criswell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Klepper, Carlisle, were recent guests of Mr. Klepper's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bushman.

Mrs. Cameron Thomas, Mrs. H. B. Raffensperger and Mrs. Fred Baltzley visited relatives in Steelton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bream, of Washington, D. C., were Labor Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trostle.

Miss Grace Boyer, Harrisburg, recently spent several days at her home in Bridgeport.

Jap - Americans Are Coming East To Work

Philadelphia, Sept. 4 (AP)—Two carloads of Japanese-Americans who plan to make their homes on the Eastern seaboard have arrived here enroute to jobs at the Seabrook Farms, Bridgeton, N. J.

There were 131 adults and 36 children in the group, the third to come from the relocation center at Parker, Ariz., since the war ended. Most of new arrivals said yesterday they lived in California before the war and do not desire to return.

Sgt. Frankie Parker Vanquishes Talbert

Forest Hills, N. Y., Sept. 4 (AP)—Sgt. Frankie Parker, the first two-time National Tennis champion since Don Budge turned professional, doesn't agree with the fans who consider him lucky to win.

After turning back the limping Bill Talbert 14-12, 6-1, 6-2, yesterday to retain the title in a match that many thought would have been closer if it hadn't been for Bill's injured knee, Parker commented that he "got a bigger kick out of winning this time than last year."

Wounded Veteran Is Visiting Relatives

Lt. George C. Fissel, on leave from the Lawson General hospital, Atlanta, Ga., where he is a patient following an amputation of his right leg as the result of wounds received in Germany February 14, is spending a leave with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Hartzell, East Lincoln avenue.

Lt. Fissel's brother-in-law and sister, Maj. and Mrs. Jacob Britcher, and their daughter, Susie, are also visiting at the Hartzell home. Major Britcher is stationed at Warner Robbins field, Ga.

LEGION MAKES NOMINATIONS

Several veterans of World War II are included in the list of names placed in nomination Monday evening for officers in the Albert J. Lentz post No. 202 of the American Legion. The election will be held Monday evening, September 17. Additional nominations may be made that evening before the balloting begins.

Three names were placed in nomination for post commander to succeed Paul M. Rohrbaugh whose term ends next month. They are Albert Cardenti, Leon Altland and Howard Strausbaugh.

The nominations for the other offices follow: First vice commander, Howard Williams, Paul Hayne, Wilbur Baker and Charles Sanders; second vice commander, Eugene Phiel; adjutant, William H. Pensyl; finance officer, James Howe; historian, Howard Horner; chaplain, Wilbur Geiselman and Joel Woodward; sergeant-at-arms, Joseph McKenrick, Morris Giffin and John Raffensperger.

The post voted a \$25 contribution to the building fund of the local posts of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Six new members were added to the post. Commander Rohrbaugh presided at the meeting.

Countian On Ship Hit By Kamikazes

Donald Bruce Shetter, quartermaster, second class, USNR, Biglerville, in a gun turret aboard the Destroyer USS Evans, on which he served during the Okinawa campaign, when she was hit by four Jap suicide planes. Saved by her crew, she is now undergoing repairs. Shetter saw action earlier at Saipan, Guam, Palau, the Philippines and Iwo Jima. Son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Shetter, he was graduated from Biglerville high school and worked for the Civil Service Commission before entering the Navy in February, 1943.

Birthday Party Held On Monday

A birthday party was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Francis Groft, West Middle street, in observance of her son, Edward, fifth birthday anniversary. Games were played and refreshments served. Those present included:

Eddie, Dickie and George Groft, Ann and Jane Callahan, Sydney Shindeldecker, Johneta Murray, Betty hisner, Ethel Sheely, Buddy Snyder, Bobby McLaughlin, Bobby Dickie, Carol Ann and Anna Boyer, Geraldine Groft, Mrs. James McLaughlin, Mrs. Curtin McLaughlin, Mrs. Paul Boyer and Mrs. Francis Groft.

HIROSHIMA IS LEVELED BY ATOMIC BOMB

By VERN HAUGLAND

Hiroshima, Japan, Sept. 4 (AP)—Street cars rattle along the streets where not a single building stands. A few deadpan civilians peddle slowly through the rubble.

Block after block contains only a thin covering of rusting tin, a few stones and some broken bricks. The twisted frames of less than a dozen buildings stand forlornly alone in the midst of ruin that was once touted as Japan's most modernized city.

That was the Hiroshima I saw today with the first American post-war visitors to the world's first target of the atomic bomb.

We landed in a B-17 at the 2,000-foot Kure airstrip and drove in cars provided by the Japanese for the 12 miles to Hiroshima.

For its size, no city in the world was so completely wiped out by bombs as was this war-swollen metropolis of 400,000, whose heart was smashed completely by a single application of atomic power. The buildings, once the most modern of the Japanese empire, were simply smashed—not split apart as from an ordinary demolition raid—but leveled over the ground.

Palace Destroyed

By contrast, Bremen, Hamburg and Berlin seem almost untouched. All that remains of the once impressive local palace of the emperor is a three-foot pile of concrete very faintly resembling the base of a building.

Of the few recognizable pieces of buildings still standing, only one remains of possible service. In it Hiroshima's banks have set up counters and there several hundred Japanese waited to do business, each in the particular section of ruin selected by his bank to set up shop.

The Japanese newspaper men who had visited the city shortly after the leveling told me that the residents of Hiroshima "hate you and think you the most fiendish, cruel people on earth."

Hirokuni Dadai, chief of the police prefecture, told us we might be attacked, but we were not. Pedestrians and cyclists stared blankly but docilely as our party wandered for two hours through the ruins, photographing and staring in awe at the damage done by a single bomb.

Withheld News

The news of the bombing was withheld at first from the people of Japan, the newsmen told us, because the destruction was so great that it was feared much criticism would arise from the lack of protection. Only one air raid shelter in the entire city escaped the attack. That was an army headquarters shelter under 18 feet of earth and concrete.

The Japanese Second Army headquarters was wiped out, however, and a number of generals were killed.

Dadai, who was the first to telephone the news of the atomic bombing to Tokyo on Aug. 6 and then assisted in aiding the wounded, said "we expect the death toll to pass 80,000."

The death toll now has mounted past 53,000, with many only slightly wounded dying from no apparent cause.

Two English-speaking guides accompanied us on the tour. One said he was a former resident of Sacramento, Calif., and the other was a physician who said his brother formerly was a member of the Japanese embassy staff in Washington, D. C.

The physician said any of the survivors who had been shocked by the atomic bomb were in danger. That even slight scratches or burns became infected, induced fevers and both internal and external bleeding and many died of apparently minor burns.

No counteragent for any of the atomic bomb after-effects have been discovered, he said.

Bus And Trolley Tie-Up Continues

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—A strike of 250 employees of the Conestoga Transportation company, crippling bus and trolley service throughout Lancaster county, entered its third day Monday with no immediate compromise in sight.

Representatives of the company announced Conestoga's board of directors will meet tomorrow to discuss demands of the workers, members of Local 1241, Amalgamated Association of Street, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees of America (AFL).

The workers walked out Saturday after the company failed to agree to a proposed contract renewal, spokesmen for the union said.

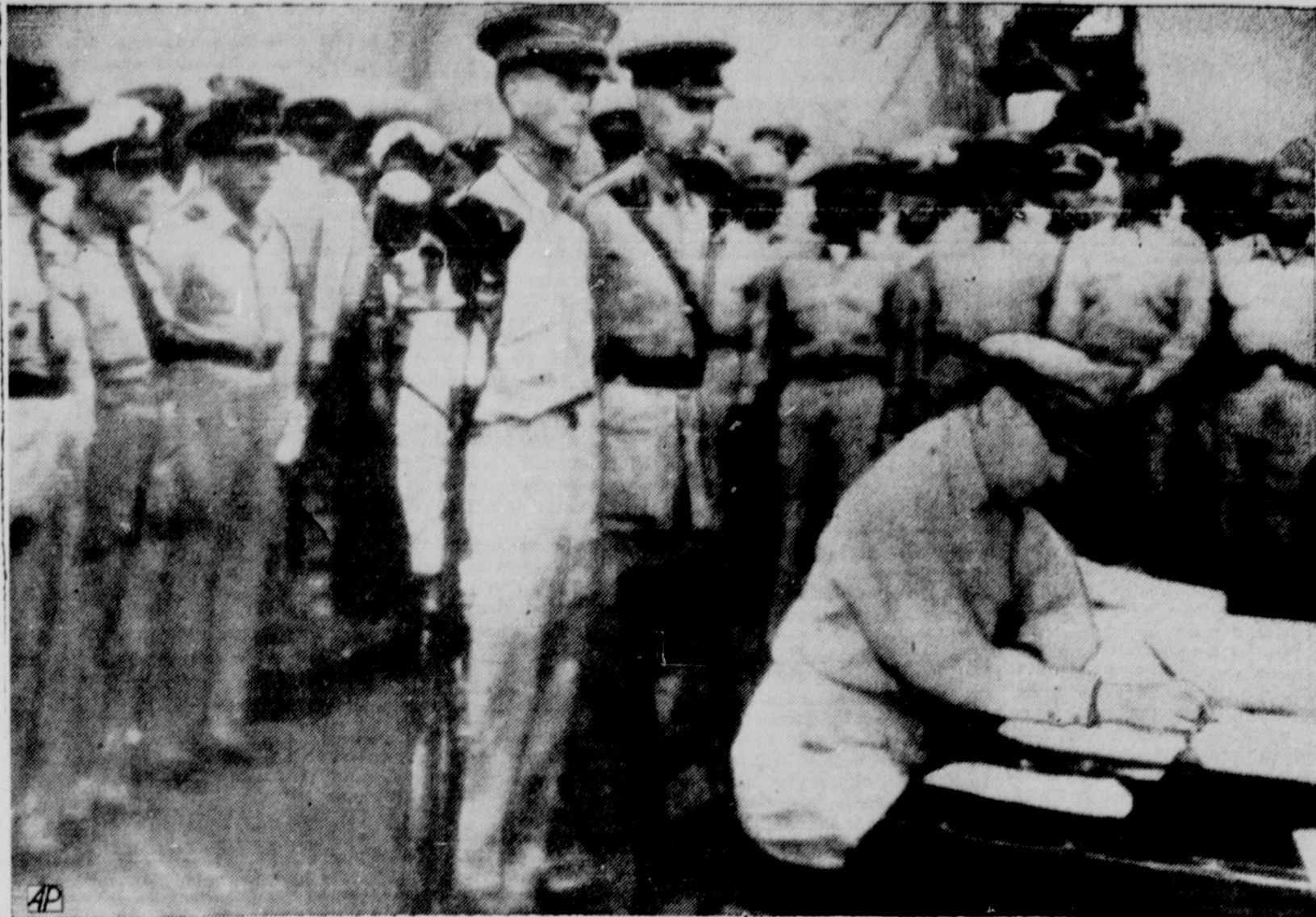
Spokesmen for the company said the proposed contract was rejected because it provided that in the event of renewal disputes, the existing contract would be continued.

Entrance of such a clause in the pact would make the contract a perpetual one, the spokesman asserted.

EX-POSTMASTER DIES

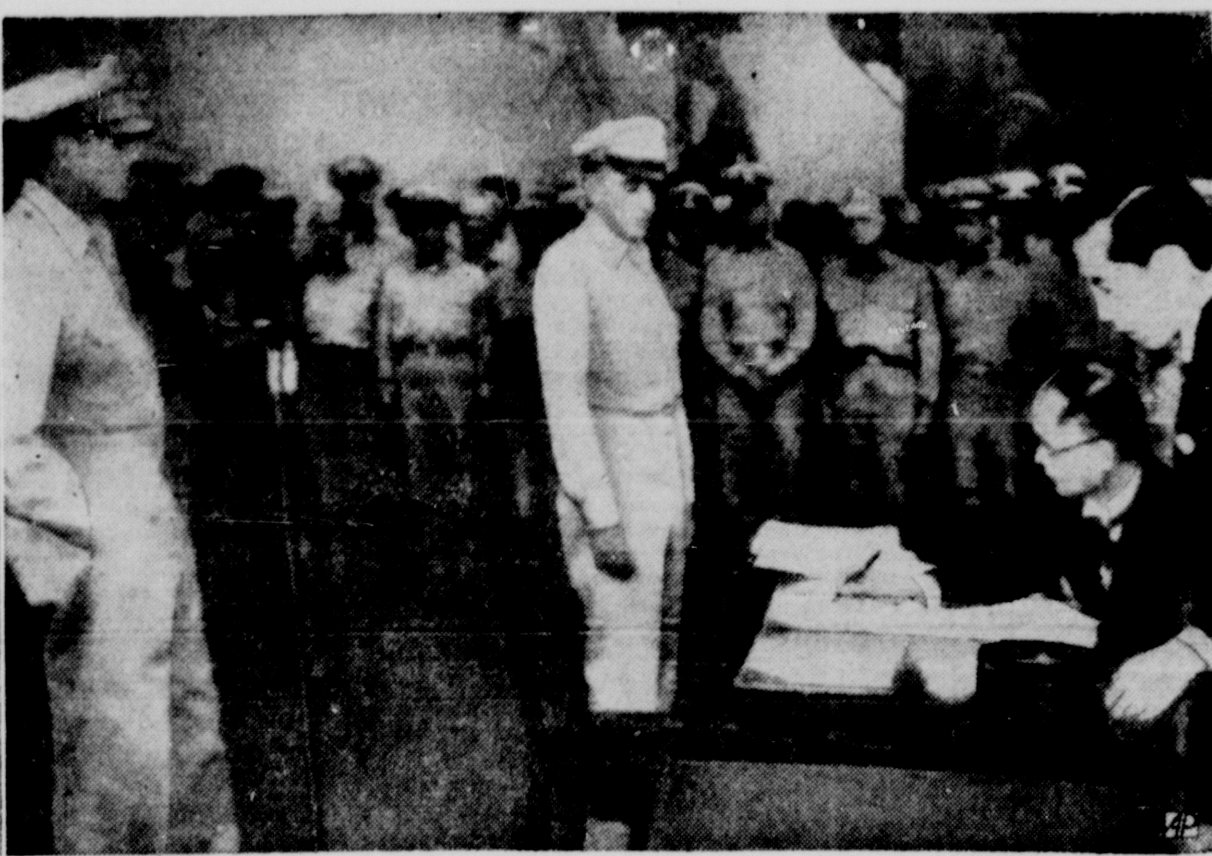
Duncansville, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—Isaac M. Hess, for many years crier of Blair county court and former postmaster and councilman, died yesterday. He was 87.

MacArthur Signs Jap Surrender Document



Lt. Gen. Sir Arthur Percival of Singapore (right) and Lt. Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright (left) last commander of Corregidor, who spent more than three years as prisoners of the Japs, stand behind General MacArthur (seated) as he signs the Japanese unconditional surrender aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo bay. Photo by Charles Gorry, Associated Press photographer on assignment with the wartime still picture pool. (AP Wirephoto from Navy Radiophoto on USS Iowa in Tokyo bay.)

MacArthur Watches As Shigemitsu Signs



Japan's foreign minister, Mamoru Shigemitsu (right, seated) signs unconditional surrender papers aboard the USS Missouri in Tokyo bay as General MacArthur (left at microphone) and Lt. Gen. Richard K. Sutherland, his chief of staff (center), look on. (AP Wirephoto via Navy radio from USS Iowa in Tokyo bay.)

General Wage Rise Urged By Murray

Pittsburgh, Sept. 4 (AP)—A rise in the general wage level was asked by CIO President Philip Murray in a Labor Day broadcast yesterday.

"The purchasing power of the people must be maintained at the highest possible level," the CIO leader declared, "to enable consumers to buy goods essential to their health and welfare and thereby provide full employment."

"These men and women are not simply numbers in a statistical table," Murray said. "They are living, breathing human beings who must have continuous employment with a good income to provide themselves and their families with good and ample food, clothing, peace and shelter."

TEXT OF JAP PROCLAMATION

U.S.S. Missouri, Tokyo Bay, Sunday, Sept. 2 (AP)—Official text of Emperor Hirohito's proclamation, issued by order of the Supreme Allied commander in connection with Japan's formal surrender:

"Accepting the terms set forth in the declaration issued by the heads of the governments of the United States, Great Britain and China on July 26, 1945 at Potsdam and subsequently adhered to by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, I have commanded the Japanese imperial government and the Japanese imperial general headquarters to sign on my behalf the instrument of surrender presented by the Supreme Commander for the Allied powers and to issue general orders to the military and naval forces in accordance with the direction of the Supreme Commander of the Allied powers.

"I command all my people forthwith to cease hostilities, to lay down their arms and faithfully to carry out all the provisions of the instrument of surrender and the general orders issued by the Japanese imperial headquarters hereunder."

The first railway tunnel in the United States was constructed in 1833, four miles east of Johnstown, Pa.

PURCHASE OF BRIDGES LAGS

Harrisburg, Sept. 4 (AP)—A new federal law to help states free toll-bridges will be no help to Pennsylvania in its drive to acquire 10 privately-owned spans, it was learned today.

"The law will be of no benefit to Pennsylvania taxpayers as far as those bridges are concerned," Highway Secretary John U. Shroyer said. "It applies to bridges on federal aid highways built to certain specifications."

The federal law would permit the federal works administration to help to the extent of 50 per cent of the cost of any bridge purchased.

Shroyer at the same time disclosed his own negotiations to buy some or all of the spans under legislation approved earlier this year are still at a standstill.

I am still awaiting an answer from the owners of bridges in Allentown and Bethlehem," he said.

Previously the owners of two bridges at Harrisburg and one at Clark's Ferry declined commonwealth's offers on the grounds they were too low.

Compulsory Exams For Pupils Starts

Harrisburg, Sept. 3 (AP)—Pennsylvania's new program of compulsory physical examination of all school children will get under way during the coming term, despite shortages of doctors and nurses, education officials asserted today.

The 1945 Legislature made uniform throughout the state medical and dental tests that had been given in some districts for several years. It extended the coverage to all school districts, called for more thorough examinations, and set up a system of records that will follow every child throughout his school career.

The Legislature appropriated \$4,000,000 to cover the costs.

The program will be administered locally in first, second and third class districts under regulations set up by the state Health Advisory Board. In the 2,269 fourth-class districts, the program comes directly under the Health department.

Want States To Have Employment Services

Washington, Sept. 4 (AP)—A plan for return of employment services to state control has been laid before President Truman by Governors Martin of Pennsylvania and Maw of Utah.

The governors have proposed that each state take over intact present United States Employment Service personnel within its boundaries maintaining federal wage rates during a year's transition period. The federal rates in some cases were higher than state pay scales when the government took on the employment services Jan. 1, 1942, as a war measure.

Doubt was expressed in responsible quarters today, however, that Mr. Truman will be ready to act immediately on the Martin-Maw plan.

Three weeks ago the President told a delegation representing the bi-partisan Governors conference that he would order the transfer back to the states only if he were convinced the changeover would not cause confusion in the reconversion period.

Steelers Lose 21-0 To Cleveland Rams

Pittsburgh, Sept. 4 (AP)—The undermanned Pittsburgh Steelers, of the National pro-football league, who forced the Cleveland Rams to earn a 21-0 victory the hard way in an exhibition game at Buffalo Sunday, will get some help soon.

It was learned Monday that Lt. Joe Coomer, Giant tackle of the 1942 squad, will likely be released from the armed forces within two weeks and expects to rejoin his old club. He is now stationed in Washington.

Guard Carl Buda, of Tulsa, who participated in the college all-star game last Thursday in Chicago, is back in uniform while halfback Paul Duhart was expected to put in an appearance at the Hershey, Pa., training camp Monday.

NOT A BARGAIN

Miramir, Calif., Sept. 1 (AP)—A Polynesian chief in the central Pacific thought his daughter a good trade for a briar pipe, but 1st Lt. John H. LaVoy, Marine dive-bomber pilot from Sparks, Nev., declined

MARTIN CALLS FOR SLASH IN INCOME TAXES

Hershey, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—A 20 per cent reduction by Congress of federal income taxes was urged by Governor Edward Martin today as the "shot-in-the-arm so desperately needed by lagging reconversion."

The Pennsylvania Republican executive, addressing a conference of the 18 GOP Congressmen from the Keystone state, also called for a decrease in expenditures, including a cut of federal employees, as a start toward balancing the federal budget.

"A twenty per cent income tax reduction, coupled with corresponding reductions in various corporate taxes," Martin told the Republican Congressmen, "would prove the greatest incentive to expanding industrial and commercial activity which our nation could enjoy."

Must Cut Expenditures

He called for "a pledge by a majority of Congress, made soon after you reconvene, that such a realistic tax program will be made effective before next March 15th."

"We have only one road open to bring future national revenues up to the necessary level, and that is to put taxes on a mass-production basis—each individually lower, but much greater in the aggregate," Martin stated.

Expenditures, the governor said, should be reduced "far enough beyond revenues to permit us to pay the interest on the debt and start retiring it."

Issues Warnings

"Government aid must be limited to ability to pay," he asserted. "Innumerable costly projects are being urged by Washington leaders which, however attractive they might be if our debts were not so high, should be turned down for the elementary reason that we cannot afford them without risking insolvency."

Some of the measures, Martin continued "would defeat their own expressed purposes," and cited the proposed Full Employment Bill now pending in Congress. That measure, he said, "while greatly increasing the cost of government and the danger of state Socialism, would further stifle the free-enterprise industrial expansion which is the sole hope of full employment."

"The Wagner Health and Social Security Bill, likewise, which purports to make health and security available to all, actually would endanger both—public health by demoralizing medical practice in the attempt to socialize it, and social security by piling up the costs of the program beyond the ability of the American people to pay."

End of Blind Generosity

The governor asserted the Republican must "evolve and support full employment and health programs which actually reach the very real needs in these fields."

Opposing proposals for nationalization of unemployment compensation, Martin said the states should be allowed to help determine the amount paid their unemployed because of different living conditions.

"The end of lend-lease should mark the end of the blind generosity of the war," he declared. Martin favored "spot assistance" to the needy of the world "to the limit of our ability to spare," but cautioned that "loans of money and of industrial goods must be made more guarded."

Wife Being Tried In Husband's Death

Warren, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—Attractive Mrs. Adaline McKinney, 24, was scheduled to go on trial today for the slaying of her husband, Wendell, 29, last July 16.

McKinney, a sandlot baseball player was shot to death following an argument in the bathroom of the McKinney home at Youngsville.

3 BOMBERS OF TOKYO IN U. S.

Washington, Sept. 4 (AP)—Three drawn and weary men who took part in the Jimmy Doolittle bombing of Tokyo stepped on United States soil today for the first time in 41 months.

"This is the first piece of the United States I've seen since the deck of the Carrier Hornet," said big, slow-talking Lt. Chase J. Nielsen of Hyrum, Utah, as he left an army transport plane at National airport. "It looks mighty good."

Equally happy were Lt. Robert L. Hite of Earth, Tex., and Staff Sergeant Jacob D. Deshaizer of Salem, Ore. The three, rescued two weeks ago from a Japanese prison camp near Peiping, were flown here from Karachi, India. They arrived shortly after midnight.

After a brief session with reporters and photographers they were taken to Walter Reed hospital for a physical checkup.

Lt. Nielsen, acting as spokesman, said "we decided to discuss it between us before doing much talking." Turning to Associated Press photographer Frank Maglio he grinned and remarked:

"We certainly can give you that million dollar smile for a picture, though."

Lt. George Barr, formerly of Queens, N. Y., another Tokyo raider rescued with them, was left behind for medical treatment.

All of the fliers were from the only two Mitchell bomber crews—of 16 which flew from the Hornet on the April 18, 1942, mission—to fall into enemy hands.

Must Register Venereal Cases

Harrisburg, Sept. 3 (AP)—The Commonwealth's big drive against venereal disease will go ahead as soon as paper and printing bottlenecks are eased, a Health department representative stated today.

A key point in the program is the reporting by all physicians of every case of venereal disease they uncover, but the reports await distribution of copies of the 1945 law and the department's regulations and report forms.

These reports will give the state, for the first time, detailed statistics on the incidence of social diseases, said Dr. Edgar S. Everhart, chief of the Health department's venereal disease division.

All infected persons come under the department's quarantine regulations and must submit to treatment until the disease no longer is communicable. Those who refuse to treatment may be committed by the courts to any appropriate institution the department designates until treatment is completed.

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NEW SCHEDULE OF POINTS FOR ARMY RELEASES

Washington, Sept. 4 (AP)—Here is how the points are scored for discharge from the army: (80 points required)

Service credit—One point for each month of army service since September 16, 1940, the date when Selective Service became effective.

Overseas credit—The same.

Combat credit—Five points for the first and each additional award for the following decorations received since September 16, 1940:

Distinguished Service Cross, Legion of Merit, Silver Star, Distinguished Flying Cross, Soldier's Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Air Medal, Purple Heart and bronze service stars for battle participation; navy decorations to army personnel as follows:

Navy Cross, Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Silver Star Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross, Navy and Marine Corps Medal, Air Medal and Purple Heart.

Parenthood credit—12 points for each child under 18 years up to a limit of three children.

The campaigns for which the battle participation stars are awarded are officially defined in a long list issued by the War Department, covering every theater since Pearl Harbor. The latest addition of the list was issued on June 6, but will be revised later to include campaigns since that date. The June 6 list included the following campaigns:

Philippine Islands; Burma; Central Pacific; East Indies; India-Burma; air offensive against Japan; Aleutian Islands; China; Papua; Guadalcanal; New Guinea; Northern Solomons; the Eastern Mandated Islands; Bismarck Archipelago; Western Pacific; the Ryukyus (which include Okinawa); Egypt-Libya; European air offensive; Algeria-French Morocco; Tunisia; Sicily; Naples-Foggia; Rome-Arno; Normandy; Northern France; So. France; Rhineland; Ardennes; N. Appennines; Central Europe; Po Valley.

In addition to the formal listing of these battles and campaigns, provision has been made to give battle credit for anti-submarine operations; ground combat or air combat against the enemy in areas and at times not covered in the formal list. The War Department expected to designate these actions later.

Only One Still Is Located In Month

Washington, Sept. 4 (AP)—The Revenooers found only one still in Pennsylvania during July, as against 17 in the same month of 1939. But this one was a whopper.

An alcohol tax unit report issued by the treasury department said it had a daily capacity of 1,346 proof gallons. The 17 stills raided in July 1939, had a combined daily capacity of only 233 proof gallons.

In their raid on the still at an undisclosed site, the agents found 37 gallons of moonshine whiskey and 15,000 gallons of mash. They confiscated property appraised at \$15,894, including three automobiles, destroyed only a few hundred dollars worth of equipment and arrested 33 persons.



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A few good books upon the side,
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If but a friend or two remain.
Youth's bygone triumphs to recall,
Then he can balance loss and gain,
Discovering gladness through it all.

Time cuts the pressing needs in half
And leaves the spirit glad to drift,
When man has found it good to laugh,

To flare, his temper's not so swift,
When self's no longer first in thought,
And others' welfare matters more,
Then peace of mind with love is bought

And welcome waits at every door.

Of all the prizes man can win,
A few last years of pride are best.
The fruits of labor gathered in,
The sun declining in the west,
The home, where holidays are kept
And all the family likes to be,
Despite the tears which must be wept,
These are man's final victory.

Today's Talk

SELF-DISCOVERED KNOWLEDGE

It is all very well to get knowledge from whatever source possible—from books, from teachers, and from people with whom we constantly, or occasionally meet. But the knowledge that stays longest with us, and from which we gain the greatest thrill, is the knowledge we discover ourselves.

No one gives the last word on anything. There still remains something to be discovered. And it must be borne in mind that no two people gain the same knowledge from the same thing. I don't care how elaborate a flower, bird, animal, or other object is described in a book, there remains something undiscovered, awaiting the last observer.

And it has often happened that this last observer has discovered something that has revolutionized all previous knowledge! It is well to give thought to this fact. It is bound to keep conceit to the minimum.

With my field glasses I have been studying birds all summer long. I check the knowledge gained with what has been written, and illustrated, about these birds in a bird book which I have, and I note that many important things are not included. For example I wish more had been written about the type of nest each bird builds. It would help to explain the character of the bird.

For many years I have noted that the red squirrel, from which I have learned so much because of my taming so many on my summer island retreat, begins about the middle of August to prepare for winter. He keeps busy storing acorns, pine cones, and any nuts that he can get his paws on, for he is going to take no chances on a famine. Then I note him gathering fine, dry grass in his mouth, until he can pack no more there, and off he scampers to the selected home for the winter. These red squirrels are agile, jealous, and selfish. But they are easily tamed and trust you if you are kind to them, and they are smart!

I note that everything in Nature is dependent largely upon the Sun. It is the mother-father of all life upon this earth. It is interesting to note how everything that grows, seeks out the Sun, for without it little, if anything, could long live.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "The Errands of Words"

KILLED BY TRUCK

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—Gertrude M. Harrison, 15, Lancaster, was killed when a light truck in which she was returning from a picnic overturned in nearby Quarryville, Pa.

The Almanac

Sept. 5—Sun rises 6:30; sets 7:27.
Moon rises 5:26 a. m.
Sept. 6—Sun rises 6:31; sets 7:25.
Moon rises 6:21 a. m.

MOON PHASES
September 6—New Moon.
September 14—First Quarter.
September 21—Full Moon.
September 28—Last Quarter.

Out Of The Past

From the Files of the
Star and Sentinel and
The Gettysburg Times
ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

Pittsburg Sufferers.—The Pittsburg papers of the 20th ult., acknowledge the receipt of \$123.50 from the Rev. E. V. Gerhart, of Gettysburg, being a collection taken at Flohr's church, Adams county, in aid of Pittsburg sufferers.

Married.—On the 19th ult., by the Rev. H. Loomis, Mr. John D. Schriver, of this borough, to Miss Matilda Stackhouse, of Mountjoy, Lancaster county.

On the 28th ultimo, by the Rev. B. Keller, Mr. William B. Smyer, of Huntington township, to Miss Mary Ann Randolph, of Cumberland county.

On the 2d inst., by the same, Mr. John Henry Saltzger, of this place, to Miss Sarah Ann, daughter of Mr. Andrew B. Miller, of Mountjoy township.

For Texas.—Seven companies of artillery, numbering about 400 men, rank and file, sailed from New York on Tuesday for Texas.

Notice to Builders and Contractors.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Poor house of Adams county, until Tuesday the 23d day of September inst., for the erection of a Building to be occupied as a HOSPITAL to the Institution, A plan of the Building, with specifications of the work, can be seen at the Poor-house.

The contractor is required to furnish all the materials.
By order of Directors,
Wm. W. Paxton, Clerk.

It has been decided in England, that if a man attempt to kiss a woman against her consent, she has a right to bite his nose off, if she has a fancy for so doing.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Pie-Nie.—On Wednesday the Reformed Sunday school of this place had a pleasant Pie-Nie at Spangler's Spring.

Opened.—The winter session of the Common Schools of this place opened Thursday, Sept. 1. The increasing number of pupils has made a new school necessary to be known as No. 9.

Married.—Carson—Blocher.—At the Lutheran parsonage, in Arden, Pa., on the 28th ult., by Rev. M. Snyder, Mr. Ezra E. Carson to Miss Mary S. Blocher, both of Berdensville.

Dedication.—The Lutheran church in Mountjoy township (Rev. P. Bergstresser, pastor,) having been recently thoroughly repaired, will be re-dedicated on the third Sabbath in September, the 18th.

A Crowd.—Van Amburg & Co's Menagerie brought a large crowd of people to town on Tuesday. The exhibition was a fine one and fully realized the general expectation. The collection of animals was very choice, if not superior, to any we ever saw. The young folks, and some of the older ones, hugely enjoyed the performances of the trained dogs and mules, the capacity of the latter to pitch overboard the best riders evoking much merriment.

Pennsylvania College.—Pennsylvania college opened Thursday under most favorable auspices. A number of new students are on the ground, and the expectation is that there will be a large increase in the aggregate attendance.

The Board of Trustees held a special meeting on Wednesday to supply the vacancies in the Faculty occasioned by the resignation of Prof. Conrad and the death of Prof. Stoeber. The department of Latin Language and Literature, formerly in charge of Prof. Stoeber, was transferred to the "Franklin Professorship." Prof. Jacobs, the incumbent of this professorship, is a fine Latin scholar and admirably qualified for the position.

Mr. Samuel P. Sadtler, of Lutherville, Md., was unanimously elected Professor of Physical Science. He graduated at Pennsylvania college with the class of 1887.

Last fall he graduated at Harvard college taking the highest honors in Scientific department. He went to Europe, and is further prosecuting his studies at the University of Göttingen. As the German universities have generally been closed in consequence of the war with France, it is probable that Mr. Sadtler will return this fall and enter on his new duties at Pennsylvania college next session.

More Incendiarism.—On Sunday night several hay-stacks on the farm of Mr. John Spangler in Mountjoy township were fired after midnight, and about 15 tons of hay burned. Some malignant incendiary seems to be pursuing Mr. Spangler with unusual vindictiveness. Two barns were burnt for him on the premises within the last six months, the last one a new barn just completed. Several previous attempts had been made to fire these hay-stacks.

1ST PEACETIME CONGRESS WILL MEET TOMORROW

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST

Washington, Sept. 4 (AP)—Congress starts its first peacetime session in almost four years tomorrow. It will be the "reconversion Congress" as distinguished from the war Congresses that have been in almost continuous session since late in 1941.

Pacing the lawmakers returning from vacations cut short by war's end will be five administration-tagged "must" proposals dealing with:

"Must" Problems

1. Jobs for everyone willing and able to work. Congressional committees have been grappling with this one—the so-called "Full Employment Bill"—for sometime.

2. Unemployment compensation. Senate and House committees are working on proposals to pay as much as \$25 weekly for 26 weeks to workers unable to find jobs.

3. Surplus property disposal. A bill to substitute a single administrator for the three-man board now in charge of getting rid of war-born surpluses will be ready for House action next week.

4. Reorganization of executive agencies. Mr. Truman wants authority to abolish or merge many agencies. Committee sentiment favors limiting the President's reorganization power.

5. Termination of wartime controls and laws. Many emergency acts are nearing expiration and Congress must decide which to retain. Prospects are the Second War Powers Act, from which rationing and priorities stem, will be kept on the statute books.

Fight Over Draft

There will be no legislative business ready for either branch before next week.

A major fight is shaping up over the draft law. Many members want all inductions stopped at once. Representative Hoffman (R., Mich.) has announced he will introduce a bill to kill the draft as soon as the House assembles at noon tomorrow.

But the House Military committee, some of whose members were shouting for an end to the draft only a few weeks ago, has just about agreed to do nothing about it for the time being.

Committee members are not inclined to extend the draft in any event beyond next May 15.

Thus far there has been no sign of a bonus drive for servicemen, but Congressional leaders are keeping their fingers crossed.

YANKS COMPILE ROSTER OF JAP WAR CRIMINALS

By SPENCER DAVIS

Yokohama, Sept. 4 (AP)—Americans freed from the hellholes of Japan told their stories of starvation, brutality and torture directly today to Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, commanding Eight Army occupation forces—and names of Japanese responsible were added steadily to a growing war-crime list.

Including 8,000 Americans, there are an estimated 36,000 Allied prisoners in Japan.

General Eichelberger and two officers of the general headquarters war crimes branch listened with shocked gravity to stories of the prisoners they interviewed today aboard the hospital ship Benevolence.

One Man Dies

One man was not there to tell his story. He was a B-29 pilot from Salt Lake City who had been brought aboard the ship from Omori prison camp, dying, Pellagra and the mistreatment he had suffered from prison guards brought death shortly after his rescue, said Chief Medical Officer, Capt. Frederick L. McDaniel, Alexandria, Va.

Virtually all the patients were suffering from extreme malnutrition and other complications—beriberi, dysentery, malaria, tuberculosis, and various fevers. All had been denied medical attention until now.

Eichelberger saw an old friend among the prisoners—Col. Stanley Livingston James, who had attended West Point two classes ahead of him, and exclaimed:

"I wouldn't have known him!"

Beaten Unconscious
Military inquiry teams meanwhile redoubled their efforts to complete lists of war criminals, while medical men promised the liberated Americans the speediest possible return to their homes.

Col. James said he had been beaten into insensibility and, pointing to a missing front tooth, said: "It was knocked out by a fist."

He hastened to add that his treatment had been no worse than that of any other prisoner.

"I saw generals knocked and kicked around," he said.

"They played no favorites. There was no such thing as rank. We were considered captives first. We were nothing but a number and we were treated as such."

Muzzle-loading of firearms was used from the 14th to the 16th century.

Things Of The Soil

By DAN P. VAN GORDER
The Gettysburg Times Agricultural Editor

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Garden Planting Is Not Ended

For the grower who wisely demands the final measure of production from his garden this year there are at least a few planting tasks for which time remains. Perhaps there may be some gamble with unseasonably early frosts, but it is well to remember that October usually brings a period of ideal growing weather. It is to enable him to take advantage of those mild autumn days that the following suggestions are offered the alert fall vegetable gardener:

Sow a bed of kale at once. Kale is extremely hardy and under favorable conditions may remain productive all winter. It is advisable to make ridges about 9 inches to one foot wide and at least 6 inches high for the rows. This precaution prevents water from drowning out the plants or contaminating the leaves with soil. Kale is so rich in needed vitamins and minerals and is so essential in the late fall and early winter diet, that gardeners should keep a liberal bed in production from early spring until mid-winter. Only the older leaves should be harvested and thus keep younger sprouts unfolding.

Make another planting of beets. From 60 to 70 days are required from date of planting for beets to reach edible size. But beets are not injured by light frosts, hence they may pass through most of October without injury. However, even in case the roots do not attain maturity, the tops may be used as greens. In fact, growing late beets for their tops alone is warranted. If there is plenty of coldframe space, it may be wisely used for the last crop of beets. Then, if low temperatures threaten, the sash may be employed.

Sow Lettuce; Plant Onions

Sow lettuce. Leafy varieties of lettuce thrive in a somewhat sheltered location at this time of the year, coming into bearing in a few weeks. It is a too common practice to allow the family diet to run below the level of safety in early fall from lack of green vegetables. Lettuce is indispensable to bridge this gap. It is rich in needed vitamins and minerals. If sown in a coldframe bed now or later, sash may be used to protect the crisp leaves from injury by too much rain or hard frozes. Lettuce is not injured by light frosts.

Plant at least a small bed of onions. Sets produce edible green onions in four to six weeks. And while they may be grown from early spring until late fall, they do better when the weather is not too hot. Planted this week, onions will come into production when green vegetables are most needed. Choose a well drained location and water the rows once a week if rains are lacking.

A few rows of carrots may be risked. These should reach the delicious "baby" carrot size before hard freezing weather comes. Of course, some light protection may be needed in late October.

Sow a few more rows of spinach. Like preparations for kale, make the rows in the form of slightly raised ridges to provide surface drainage when late fall rains come.

For growers who are not afraid of an extra chance, a few rows of a quick-maturing variety of peas are suggested. Peas of this sort reach edible size in 40 to 60 days. They are not injured by light frosts. If afforded some protection during threatening periods they have a fair chance of bringing at least a few servings to the late fall dining table. The reward is worth the small risk.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4 (AP)—The phantom voice of the police radio is really giving Quaker City cops the jitters.

A shrill, treble voice, warbling popular tunes over the same radio system that normally gives forth with calls to patrol cars, has been giving unscheduled concerts for two days. The police radio's customary baritone announced was in the midst of a call when the serenade began yesterday. Apparently flustered, the announcer stopped speaking as the singer—generally believed to be female—started in on "It Had to Be You."

Will Change Time

Recovering his composure, the announcer retaliated by sounding a siren call that precedes all police messages and then went on: "Car 1791 go to east..."

The message and "It Had to Be You" merged into a series of unintelligible noises. When the static cleared, the announced was silent, but undaunted, the phantom voice continued.

"I don't think it's deliberate mischief," declared Inspector Thomas Burns, adding that he believes the disturbance was caused by pickup of an out-of-town broadcast.

"If it is the work of pranksters," Burns added "they'll be singing a different tune when we're done with them—and it won't be over the radio."

Allegheny County Plans Public Works

Pittsburgh, Sept. 4 (AP)—Allegheny county commissioners plan approval today of a \$1,500,000 bond issue, the first step in a long range \$50,000,000 postwar public works program.

The bond issue will finance the immediate preparations of contract plans, specifications and other expenses necessary to get the program of bridge, highway and airport improvements under way.

In addition, the bond issue will finance the purchase of heavy trucks, graders and other equipment to replace the county's worn-out machinery.

Commissioner Chairman John J. Kane, announcing these plans, said the improvement program is expected to give jobs to thousands of former war workers, directly and indirectly, and involves the purchases of huge quantities of steel and other building materials.

Radio Kibitzer Baffles Police

Philadelphia, Sept. 4 (AP)—There were a lot of answers afloat Monday to the question of who is the mysterious singer warbling over police radios here.

A shrill, childish treble burst into the ether waves Sunday with "Don't Fence Me In" and as police swept into an investigation, it confused things by rendering an encore—"Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean."

Some even theorized it might be Tokyo Rose, who apparently lost her job when Japan capitulated.

BOY DROWNS

Waynesburg, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—Ten-year-old Harry LeRoy Dugan of Nemacolin, Pa., drowned in the Monongahela river while swimming near his home Sunday.

ATTLEE BLAMES JAP AGGRESSION FOR WORLD WAR

By GLENN WILLIAMS

London, Sept. 4 (AP)—Prime Minister Attlee last night pinned the blame for the six years of war upon failure to deal sternly with Japanese aggression 14 years ago, and declared victory will have been in vain unless all are ready to shoulder "the heaviest responsibility that our victory entails."

"It will be our task in closest association with other nations to seek to establish a world order in which war shall everywhere be banished," he told the British people in a speech marking the sixth anniversary of Britain's entry into World War 2.

Attlee announced that Britain's sole endeavor in Europe now would be "to enable the will of the people to prevail and to assist in the establishment everywhere of governments resting on popular consent."

Destroyed League

The Prime Minister outlined British plans for demobilizing the armed forces with as much speed as possible; warned that British troops would be needed in far places for occupation duties for some time to come; estimated that in order to bring British production back to pre-war levels, "we require an increase of about 5,000,000 workers."

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Jimmy Stewart Eager To Play In Comedy

Indiana, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—Lean, lanky Jimmy Stewart, home from the wars, is anxious to get back to Hollywood and the business of making movies—but he'd like his next picture to be a comedy.

"The public has had enough war movies," the Al: Corps and screen hero declared. "They don't need any more to remind them 'not to forget.'"

"Besides," he explained, "I think it will take three or four years for people to write good stories about the war. They need time to get a good perspective."

Col. Stewart came home yesterday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stewart, who had gone to New York to meet him.

Failure to deal with this first breach of the peace destroyed the authority of the league of nations," he asserted.

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The Curious Clue

BY RUFUS HEED

Chapter 1

If Seth had not come down to Key West for the official flight of his new airplane, Suzy Van Tyne's vacation would have ended quite differently. But that week-end was the beginning of it all. As the heat from a cobalt sky closed down over the government's landing field Fri-day afternoon, there was nowhere the slightest hint of the swift dis-aster that would cost the lives of two people and threaten their own happiness.

Seth Peabody listened eagerly to General Howard's praise as the airplane taxied back to its hangar. "A steam engine for airplanes! I never dreamed it was possible," the General exclaimed. "Why Pea-body, that plane of yours was climb-ing better than 7,000 feet a minute!"

"Thank you, General," Seth said with a quick smile. "Today has been worth the years of work—and failure."

The General nodded. "We'll go to my office, and I'll sign the con-tracts right away."

"But I haven't seen Suzy yet, sir," Seth stopped abruptly, search-ing the sky with his glasses. "I thought she would watch the flight test from the ground."

"She did intend to, but she saw a strange plane circling the field just before you arrived and de-cided to chase it off. You know she's the best doggoned woman pilot in this country," the General chuckled.

"Van Tyne Aircraft has a special job waiting for her as soon as she gets home. That's one reason I'm staying over this week-end—I'm commissioned to bring her back with me."

"She's been having a beautiful time in Key West. Come along. We can have those contracts signed by the time she gets back . . ."

The General's voice was urgent, but he added irrelevantly, "The best way to protect that airplane of yours is to get out of Key West as fast as you can."

Seth, startled, was about to ask a question, when he saw the wor-ried look on the General's face. Silently he fell into step beside him. Once inside the cool, shaded office, Seth and the General quick-ly finished the business of sign-ing the contracts. As he carefully packed his brief case with the precious documents, Seth felt as if a segment of his life was wrapped up with these red sealed papers, these specifications and accepted drawings.

"What are you going to do with that dossier?" the General de-manded abruptly.

"Take it to the hotel with me," Seth answered, surprised at the unexpected question. "I'm leaving at sunrise Sunday morning."

"I'll take care of it for you, un-till after dinner tomorrow night," the General stood up and faced Seth across the table. "As long as you are in Key West and have those plans with you, you are in danger."

Seth stared at him incredulously.

"But I don't understand . . ." he began.

"There are men here who have been waiting weeks for the test flight of your plane. They want these plans. Everything we have done here at the fort has been surrounded with the utmost secrecy, but in spite of our precautions, someone was evidently tipped off today and came scouting around this afternoon. That's why Suzy took off to drive them away."

"But who—who-what—" Seth be-gan, puzzled over the General's flat statement of facts. "That sounds as if they might be enemy spies."

"Or just competitors," the Gen-eral answered, non-committally. "All I can do to warn you again to be careful while you are in Key West. Anything can happen in this town."

So Seth decided to leave not only his contracts, but the dossier as well with the General until he was ready to fly back to New York. A few minutes later he hurried out of the General's office to find Suzy standing beside her roadster, wait-ing for him.

In the late afternoon sunshine, Seth was very much aware of the golden picture she made as her tumbled sulphur-colored hair and tan suede jacket seemed to take on an added glow from the bright winter sun. That was the way he loved to see her—all tan and gold—like pruned sunshine.

"Hi, Gold," he shouted. "Remem-ber me? I'm the man you're going to marry!"

Perfectly oblivious to the sentry pacing in front of the building, he bent down and kissed her. He saw her face flush under her deep tan, as an orderly sprang forward to open the door of the car for her.

"You're incorrigible!" she breathed as she swung the car through the winding roads of Port Schuyler. "But I'm glad you came down for the test flight. How's Dad?—and are the contracts signed?"

"Yes, my sweet. Everything's signed, sealed, and at long last, delivered. Your dad sent me down to bring you home. The town's too lonesome for both of us without you."

The car seemed to be taking all of Suzy's attention, as she drove carefully out onto Roosevelt Boul-evard.

"I imagine you've been having a lot of fun down here, Gold," Seth's voice was tentative. There was something different about Suzy. She made him feel nervous—not quite sure of himself.

"Yes, I'm having a wonderful vacation," she answered quickly. "Wallis Warner is here—you re-member her from Miss Holland's school. Henry Potter's here—"

"Not that big fat lumox who is with Western National Airways?" Suzy laughed. "A perfect descrip-tion, Seth. But the most import-ant thing is my dancing."

"Don't tell me you've gone back to that."

"I am taking my dancing rather seriously because I found an un-usual dance instructor here. I've

been working on the rumba, and the samba."

As they entered the driveway of the Casa Linda, Seth noticed for the first time that Suzy was not wearing her engagement ring!

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1945

The heirs-at-law of Lydia A. Brough, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises situate along the State Highway in the Village of Latimore, Latimore Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, September 15, 1945, at 1:00 o'clock, P. M. the following described real estate:

A tract of land bounded on the North by the State Highway aforesaid, on the South by land of H. H. Starry, on the East by land of Sara Prosser, Preston Hoffman, Church Property and on the West by land of George Heller and Ira K. Stonessier, containing 7 Acres, more or less. This tract is improved with a 2 1/2 story frame house and out-buildings which are in good repair. Approximately 6 Acres are in Apple trees.

It being the same which the York Trust Company by its deed dated March 27, 1906, did sell and convey unto Lydia A. Brough, which deed is entered for record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Adams County, Pennsylvania.

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Heirs of Lydia A. Brough, deceased, Dan Bream, Auctioneer, J. F. Yake, Jr., Attorney.

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When Church of the Air broadcasts from Trinity Episcopal church at Independence, Mo., President Truman's home town, next Sunday, his daughter Margaret is expected to participate. She is to be in the musical part of the program as a regular member of the church choir. The Rev. Harold B. Whitman, the rector, to discuss "The Post-war World and My Share In It."

TUESDAY

6:00-WFAP-454M

4:00-Stage Wife
4:15-Stella Dallas
4:30-Lorenzo Jones
4:45-Widder Brown
5:00-Tip! Marries
5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page
6:00-News
6:15-Serenade
6:45-News
7:00-Supper Club
7:15-News
7:30-Jenkins Or.
7:45-News
8:00-Judy Date
8:30-Navy Hour
9:00-H. Marshall
10:00-With Romberg
11:00-News
11:15-R. Harkness
11:30-A. McMahon

7:00-WOR-422M

4:00-News
4:15-Vocalist
4:30-Food Forum
4:45-News
5:00-Superman
5:15-Sketch
5:30-Tom Mix
5:45-P. Schubert
6:00-On Street
6:15-News
6:45-Stan Lomax
7:00-News
7:15-Answer Man
7:30-Arthur Hale
7:45-Lisa Cugat
8:00-News
8:15-Music
8:30-Mystery
9:00-News
9:15-Stories
9:30-Forum
10:15-Overseas
10:30-Open Or.
11:00-News
11:30-New Year

7:00-WJZ-685M

4:00-Birch Show
4:15-News
4:30-News
4:45-Hop Harrigan
5:00-Terry
5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Sketch
6:00-News
6:15-Facts
6:30-News
6:45-Charlie Chan
7:00-Edition
7:15-News
7:30-County Fair
7:45-Lum. Abner
8:15-R. Harris
8:30-Young Show
9:00-Lombardi Or.
9:30-Doctors
10:00-Open Or.
10:15-Sports
11:00-Dance Or.

8:00-WABC-675M

4:00-House Party
4:15-News
4:30-News
4:45-Vocalist
5:00-Service Time
5:15-Tavern
5:30-Sparrow
6:00-News
6:15-Edwin Hill
6:30-Songs
6:45-World Today
7:00-Jack Kirkwood
7:15-Smith Show
7:30-Melody
8:00-Big Town
8:30-Theater
9:00-Sanctum
9:30-Doctor Fight
10:00-Entertainment
10:30-Congress
10:45-Scenes
11:00-News
11:15-Grant Or.
11:30-Sherlock & Or.

WEDNESDAY

6:00-WFAP-454M

8:00-News
8:15-Vocalist
8:30-News
8:45-R. Hendricks'n
9:00-Variety
9:15-A. Hawley
9:45-Classics
10:00-R. St. John
10:15-L. Lawton
10:30-Road to Life
10:45-Joyce Jordan
11:00-Waring Show
11:30-R. Cameron
11:45-David Harum
12:00-News
12:15-M. McNellis
12:30-Pacific
12:45-Music Room
1:00-M. McBride
1:45-News
2:00-Judging Light
2:15-Children
2:30-Woman in White
2:45-Hymns
3:00-Woman
3:15-Ma Perkins
3:30-P. Young
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7:15-Vandercook
7:30-Roth Orch.
7:45-Kaltenborn
8:00-Norths
8:30-Billie Burke

8:00-a. m.-News
8:15-Cook
8:30-Shopping
8:45-M. Arlen
9:00-News
9:15-A. Godfrey
10:00-Valiant Lady
10:15-World Light
10:30-E. Winters
10:45-Bachelor's
11:00-Amanda
11:15-2nd Husband
11:30-Women's Life
11:45-Aunt Jenny
12:00-Kate Smith
12:15-Big Sister
12:30-Helen Trent
12:45-Our Gal Sun.
1:00-Life Can Be
1:15-Ma Perkins
1:30-News
1:45-Dr. Malone
2:00-Clue
2:15-Rosemary
2:30-P. Mason
2:45-Tena. Tim
3:00-Remember
3:15-Off Record
3:45-Sing Along
4:00-House Party
4:30-Story
4:45-Vocalist
5:00-Service Time
5:30-Tavern
5:45-Sketch
6:00-News
6:15-Vocalist
6:30-E. Farrell
7:00-Jack Kirkwood
7:15-Smith Show
7:30-Elly Queen
8:00-The Saint
8:30-J. Herscholt
9:00-Crime
9:30-Detect
10:00-Great Mom'ta
10:30-Maie
11:00-News
11:15-Grant Or.
11:30-Invitation

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KILLED IN CRASH

Sharon, Pa., Sept. 4 (AP)—Mary Mitchell, 21, of West Middlesex, Pa. was killed, and four other persons were injured in a holiday auto crash at nearby Hartford, Ohio, yesterday.

YANKS, TIGERS OPEN CRITICAL SERIES TODAY

By JACK HAND (Associated Press Sports Writer)

Opportunity is thundering on the Yankees' front door today as Detroit drags its two-game lead into the Bronx for a seven-tilt set with Joe McCarthy's revived contenders.

Ever since Charley Keller rejoined the Yanks they have found the old spark, recovering from a dizzy nine-game losing slump to cop 15 of their last 20 and move within 4 1/2 lengths of the top.

The Tigers picked up a full length yesterday by squeezing past Chicago twice by an identical 6-5 score. Tommy Bridges, making his first appearance since 1943 after his discharge from the army, received credit for the first game with the relief help of George Caster, Jim Tobin clinched the second with a two-run homer and an effective job of pitching after the Sox had chased Al Benton with four duns in the opening inning.

Nats Lose Ground

Largest crowd of the year at Briggs stadium, 53,953, paced the holiday major league total of 265,336 paying customers.

Washington lost ground in its two-month chase of the leaders, by dropping the second of a holiday double to Boston, 8-4, under the spell of Vic Johnson after knocking out Dave (Boo) Ferriss in an 11-3 opening romp.

Charley Keller, Nick Etten and George Stinnweiss unloaded a barrage of extra base hits on Philadelphia as the Yanks swept two, 4-1.

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ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

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BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Monday's Results

New York 3, Philadelphia 2 (first)
New York 9, Philadelphia 0 (second)

Brooklyn 4, Boston 0 (first)
Brooklyn 4, Boston 3 (10 innings second game)

Chicago 7, Cincinnati 2 (first)
Chicago 7, Cincinnati 1 (second)
Pittsburgh 6, St. Louis 5 (first)
Pittsburgh 6, St. Louis 2 (second)

Standing of the Teams

Chicago	79	47	.627
St. Louis	76	52	.594
Brooklyn	71	55	.563
New York	71	58	.550
Pittsburgh	71	62	.534
Boston	57	72	.442
Cincinnati	49	77	.389
Philadelphia	39	90	.302

Today's Games

Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Only game scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Monday's Results

New York 4, Philadelphia 1 (first)
New York 7, Philadelphia 6 (second, 11 innings)

Washington 11, Boston 5 (first)
Boston 8, Washington 4 (second)
St. Louis 6, Cleveland 3 (first)
St. Louis 5, Cleveland 4 (10 innings, second game)

Detroit 6, Chicago 5 (first)
Detroit 6, Chicago 5 (second)

Standing of the Teams

Detroit	72	54	.571
Washington	72	58	.554
St. Louis	69	58	.543
New York	67	58	.536
Cleveland	64	60	.516
Chicago	62	65	.488
Boston	61	69	.469
Philadelphia	40	85	.320

Today's Games

Detroit at New York.
Only game scheduled.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4 (AP)—Umpire Joe Rue, recovering from a slightly damaged right eye today, withheld comment on what he planned to report to American League President Will Harridge about a battle between himself and Athletics' Catcher Charley (Greek) George.

George waded into Rue during the second game of yesterday's Shibe park doubleheader after the two had exchanged words throughout the contest.

The game was delayed for ten minutes and George was then banished from the game. Depending on Rue's recommendation, George can be banned from the game for a year.

League Leaders

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Associated Press)

National League

Batting—Cavarretta, Chicago, .361.

Runs—Holmes, Boston, 116.

Runs batted in—Walker, Brooklyn, 108.

Hits—Holmes, Boston, 193.

Doubles—Holmes, Boston, 42.

Triples—Olmo, Brooklyn, 13.

Home runs—Holmes, Boston, 27.

Stolen bases—Schoendienst, St. Louis, 23.

Pitching—Brecheen, St. Louis, 10-3.

American League

Batting—Cuccinello, Chicago, .318.

Runs—Stinnweiss, New York, 86.

Runs batted in—Etten, New York, 85.

Hits—Stinnweiss, New York, 160.

Doubles—Moses, Chicago, 30.

Triples—Stinnweiss, New York, 17.

Home runs—Stephens, St. Louis, 20.

Stolen bases—Stinnweiss, New York, 28.

Pitching—Muncie, St. Louis, 11-2, .845.

ROCKS WIN TWO: RED ROSES SPLIT

(By The Associated Press)

The Wilmington Blue Rocks are three and a half games out of the number one spot in the Interstate league today with less than a week of play remaining, but the Rocks haven't given up yet.

Big George Estock and Barney Schultz, fresh from the sick list, teamed to pitch the Rocks to a double victory over the York White Roses in Labor Day meetings yesterday by 3-1 and 8-3 scores. It was Estock's 21st victory.

Allentown's Cardinals made it three in a row over the league leading Red Roses with a 3-1 triumph in the opener, but the Rocks came back to win the nightcap 9-8.

Trenton's surging Spartans climbed into a third place tie with Allentown by dumping the Hagers-town Owls twice, 6-2 and 10-4 thereby jarring the Owls' hopes of attaining a playoff berth.

Wilmington has eleven games remaining and Lancaster seven. The two teams do not oppose each other and it's still anybody's race.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, Sept. 4 (AP) — Does anybody remember baseball's July Fourth tradition? . . . Here it is past Labor Day and nobody knows for sure how those major league pennant races will come out, what with the Tigers and Browns starting an eastern swing, where they may be waylaid by the Yanks and Senators within the next few days, and five Cubs-Cards tussles coming up later.

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Eastern League

(By The Associated Press)

The Utica Blue Sox are within two games of clinching the Eastern League pennant.

The high-stepping Sox bowled over Binghamton 8-0, 9-1, yesterday to stretch their lead over the second-place Albany Senators to six full games.

Albany split with Hartford, the Senators taking the opener of a holiday bill 7-2, and dropping a 4-2 nightcap. Wilkes-Barre edged Scranton 2-1 and then lost 3-0, Elmira defeated Williamsport 6-3 in the curtain-raiser but the Grays recovered to whitewash the Pioneers 13-0.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

Baltimore — Curtis Sheppard, 187½, Pittsburgh, outpointed Nate Bolden, 174, Chicago, 10.

Spokane, Wash. — Bobby Zander, 187, Los Angeles, outpointed Tiger Jack Fox, 186, Spokane, 12.

ing catcher who'll go with the Indians next season, became Oriole property because the club bought a pitcher who wouldn't report. . . . Two years ago Stanley West, purchased from Augusta, Ga., decided to stick to a war job and to square himself with Baltimore he recommended Lollar, his batter mate on a Kansas semi-pro team. . . . Charley Peterson, the veteran billiard player who has been entertaining boys in hospitals and rehabilitation centers, reports this is the first time in his career that he ever has played during July and August. . . . sounds like he belonged to the Phillies.

MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

(By The Associated Press)

Yesterday's Scores

International League

Jersey City, 11-1; Newark, 0-4.
Toronto, 8-3; Rochester, 1-1.
Montreal, 4-1; Buffalo, 3-10.
Baltimore, 3-12; Syracuse, 2-2.

American Association

St. Paul, 16-11; Minneapolis, 1-12.
Milwaukee, 11-8; Kansas City, 3-7.
Columbus, 3-6; Toledo, 1-2.
Indianapolis, 4-9; Louisville, 0-2.

Eastern

Wilkes-Barre, 2-0; Scranton, 1-3, first game 11 innings.
Albany, 7-2; Hartford, 2-4.
Utica, 8-9; Binghamton, 0-1.
Elmira, 6-0; Williamsport, 3-13.

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